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NOTE.—O.=Original.

D.=Draft.

Serial No.	No. and date of letter and address.	Subject.	Abstract.	Remarks.
			1849.	
1	No. 268, dated 31st March 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Amenability of Shahzadas at Ludhiána to jurisdiction of British courts.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States, enquires whether the Shahzadas at Ludhiána are liable to be sued in our civil courts for debts contracted by them or on any other account. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th April 1849— Nos. 1-2
	No. 2, dated 7th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above for the orders of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, and observes that as the Shahzadas have been so long exempted from the jurisdiction of our civil courts, the Board do not feel authorized to deprive them of the immunity which nevertheless they are of opinion the Princes ought not to enjoy. (D.)	
2	No. 53*a*, dated 2nd April 1849 ... From—J. Lawrence, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	Rewards for services during insurrection in Jaswan Doon.	Mr. J. Lawrence, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards for sanction a bill for Rs. 1,950 on account of rewards distributed to certain individuals who performed good service during the insurrection in the Jaswan Doon. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th April 1849— Nos. 7-8.
	10th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		A copy of the above is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, with the recommendation that the expenditure be sanctioned. (D.)	
3	No. 37, dated 4th March 1849 ... From—J. Lawrence, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Transfer of prisoners.	Mr. J. Lawrence, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur with a list of prisoners under sentence for long terms in banishment, and requests that the permission of the Lieutenant-Governor may be obtained to their transfer to such districts as may appear expedient. (O.)	Nos. 9-12.
	18th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces.		A copy of the above is forwarded to the Officiating Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, with the request that the Lieutenant-Governor will determine the destination of the prisoners referred to. (D.)	

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4	No. 31, dated 4th April 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Sinking of a well in the court-yard of the Ambála Jail.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration to inform him whether instructions have been issued to the Engineer's Department to sink a well in the court-yard of the Ambála Jail. (O.)	Progs for the week ending 14th April 1849— Nos. 18-59.
	13th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration, asks the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, to forward an estimate for the well, and to report what wells are at present available for the use of the convicts. (D.)	
5	No. 1140, dated 5th April 1849 ... From—R. Thornton, Esquire, Assistant Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	Transfer of prisoners.	In reply to letters Nos. 156 and 157 from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, Mr. R. Thornton, Assistant Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces, requests that the prisoners therein mentioned may be sent to Agra to undergo their punishment in the jail of that district. (O.)	Nos. 20-22.
	15th April 1849		Ordered that copies of the above be forwarded for the information and guidance of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States. (D.)	
6	No. 22, dated 20th March 1849 .. From—The Superintendent, Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Case of Nand Ram of Jubbal.	In reply to a letter No 137, dated the 2nd March 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration calling for a report on the case of Nand Ram, the Superintendent, Hill States, states that the petitioner is the person referred to in his despatch of the 23rd May 1848, for whose expulsion from the Jubbal State he received the sanction of the Chief Commissioner in letter No. 189, dated the 1st June 1848, and that in accordance with this order he removed Nand Ram, who was doing much mischief in the district by his influence with the Rani. (O.)	Nos. 23-4.
	13th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Superintendent, Hill States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board do not find any sanction given in despatch No. 189 for the expatriation of Nand Ram; that it is illegal to expatriate without formal conviction of crime. The Superintendent, Hill States, is asked to report the result of any investigations he may have made into specific charges laid against Nand Ram. (D.)	

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7	No. 479, dated 13th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Construction of a jail at Kángra.	In reply to Mr. Inglis' letter No. 58, dated the 29th March 1849, the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, states that the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General sanctions the outlay of Rs. 1,800 towards the construction of a jail for the district of Kángra. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st April 1849— Nos. 25-6
	17th April 1849		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information and guidance of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States. (D.)	
8	No. 1, dated 18th April 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J.C Erskine Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Proposed reward to Govind Lal Thanedar of Thánesar.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, brings to the notice of the Board of Administration the good service performed by Govind Lal, Thanedar of Thánesar, and recommends that he be presented with a sword worth Rs. 50 and Rs. 250 in cash. Observes that Rs. 25, the present salary of Police officers, is not sufficient to induce qualified men to undertake the duties. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th April 1849— Nos. 20-31.
	23rd April 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the concurrence of the Board to the expediency of rewarding Police officers for good conduct, but requests the submission of a report specifying the acts of service performed by Govind Lal. Observes that the attention of the Board has been directed to the question of raising the salaries of the head Police officers in the Cis-Sutlej States to Rs. 50 per month. (D.)	
9	No. 174, dated 25th April 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Appointment of a commission for the trial of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department with the Governor-General, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, appoints a commission, consisting of Mr. C. G. Mansel and Mr. R. Montgomery and Brigadier Godby for the trial of Mulraj for the murder of Mr. Agnew and Lieutenant Anderson, and communicates instructions as to the manner in which the proceedings should be conducted. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th May 1849— Nos. 41-5.
	1st May 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—C. Mansel, Esquire, Senior Member of Board of Administration; R. Montgomery, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, and Brigadier Godby, C. B., Commanding at Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the above for the information and guidance of Messrs. C. Mansel and R Montgomery and Brigadier Godby, C. B., and informs them that Mr. L. Bowring will conduct the prosecution on the part of Government. (D.)	

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9—*concld.*	1st May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—L. B. Bowring, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner, Lahore.	Appointment of a commission for the trial of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Mr. L. B. Bowring, Assistant Commissioner, Lahore, that the Board of Administration have selected him to conduct the prosecution of Mulraj on the part of Government. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th May 1849— Nos. 41-5.
	1st May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Edwardes, C. B., Deputy Commissioner.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Major Edwardes, C. B., Deputy Commissioner, to place himself under the orders of Mr R. Montgomery, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, with a view to his discharging the duties of District Officer of Lahore during the temporary absence of Mr. L. Bowring.	
	1st May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—R. Montgomery, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests Mr. R. Montgomery, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, to relieve Mr. Bowring temporarily of his present duties to enable that officer to conduct the prosecution of Mulraj on the part of Government; and informs him that Major Edwardes will act for Mr. Bowring. (D.)	
10	No. 517, dated 24th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Amenability of Shahzadas at Ludhiána to jurisdiction of British courts.	In reply to a letter No. 1, dated the 7th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, communicates the Governor-General's desire that the civil courts at Ludhiána and elsewhere be in future open both to the Shahzadas and the sons of Shah Shuja-ul-Mulk and their creditors. (O.)	Nos. 48-9.
	1st May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information and guidance of the Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States. (D.)	
11	1st May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Hugh James, Assistant Commissioner, Multán.	Arzi of Multán merchants.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Lieutenant Hugh James, Assistant Commissioner, Multán, an Arzi presented to Major Edwardes, in Lahore, by some deputies from the merchants of the city of Multán; and requests him to enquire whether the irregular modes alluded to of enforcing payment of the ransom have been resorted to by any of the subordinates of the Prize Agents or not. (O.)	Nos. 53-4.
	1st May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division. (D.)	
12	No. 521, dated 25th April 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rewards for good service during insurrection in Jaswan Doon.	In reply to a letter No. 3, dated the 10th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department with the Governor-General conveys the sanction of the Governor-General	Nos. 57-8.

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12—*concld.*		Rewards for good service during insurrection in Jaswan Doon.	to the expenditure of Rs. 1,950 distributed to certain parties, who performed good service during the insurrection in the Jaswan Doon. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th May 1849— Nos. 57-8.
	2nd May 1840 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information and guidance of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States. (D.)	
13	No. 7, dated 21st April 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J.C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Sinking of a well in the Ambála Jail.	In reply to a letter No. 3, dated the 13th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála, furnishing the information required therein, and estimating the cost of sinking a well in the jail at Rs. 450. Observes that no orders have been received regarding the repairs to the jail, which is unsafe ; and recommends that the work be undertaken by the District Officer.	Nos. 80-81.
	4th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J C. Erskine, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the authority of the Board to the sinking of a well in the Ambála Jail. Remarks that every district officer is bound to undertake all works connected with his charge, and that Captain Abbott should not have declined to sink the well. Points out other irregularities. (D.)	
14	5th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Honigberger, &c., &c., Lahore.	Transfer of charge of the Lahore Jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Dr. Honigberger, Lahore, to make over charge of the Lahore Jail to Dr. Hathaway; and states that the Board will be happy to receive, for submission to Government, any statement of his services and claims. (O.)	Nos. 85-7.
	5th May 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To— Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, to receive charge of the Lahore Jail from Dr. Martin Honigberger, and report his having done so to the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division. (D.)	
	5th May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division. (D).	
15	5th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar.	Sessions case.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar, refers to the proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Muway, charged with wilful murder of Muhammad Jan, submitted for the orders of the Board. Observes that the Board considers the prisoner guilty of the charge preferred against him, and sentences him to suffer capital punishment. (D.)	No. 92.

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16	5th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Lahore and Jhelum Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioner, Wazirabad.	Complaint of Raja Tej Singh's agent.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioners and Superintendents, Lahore and Jhelum Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioner of Wazírabad, a Vernacular proceeding regarding a complaint preferred by Raja Tej Singh's agent, to the effect that the sepoys located in certain serais, built by his master, annoy and oppress the other tenants. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th May 1849— No. 95.
17	7th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—R. Montgomery, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.	Proposed erection of a Central Jail at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Mr. R. Montgomery, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, to submit plans and estimates for a large Central Jail which it is proposed to erect at Lahore. (D).	Progs. for the week ending 12th May 1849— No. 96.
18	7th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Martin Honigberger ...	Relief of Dr. Martin Honigberger by Dr. Hathaway.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Dr. Martin Honigberger to make over charge to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon of Lahore, of all other duties of a medical description, in addition to the jail, which he performed for the Lahore Darbar. (D.)	No. 97.
19	No. 7, dated 26th April 1849 ... From—E. Thornton, Esquire, Commissioner, Rechna and Chuj Doabs, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Property found in the fort of Sheikhupura.	Mr. E. Thornton, Commissioner, Rechna and Chuj Doábs, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Sheikhupura, with a list of property found in the fort of Sheikhupura, and begs to be informed whether it is the Board's wish that the articles, exclusive of arms and ammunition should be sent to the State treasury at Lahore. (O.)	
	7th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—E. Thornton, Esquire, Commissioner, Rechna and Chuj Doabs.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Mr. Thornton to follow the rules laid down in the circular letter No. 62, dated the 2nd May, and to desire Mr. Carnac to select the best of the arms to equip his revenue and police establishments; and communicates instructions as to the disposal of the other articles enumerated in the list. (O.)	
	7th May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division. (D.)	
20	No. 356, dated 28th April 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of prisoners for having committed crime in Patiála territory.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards a copy of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner of Ludhiána, and requests sanction to the trial of two prisoners named Nutwa and Fakira for crime committed in Patiála territory, the peculiar feature of the present case being that the parties as natives of Amritsar were not British subjects when captured, though they have since become so. (O.)	Nos. 102-03.

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20—*concld.*	7th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States.	Trial of prisoners for having committed crime in Patiála territory.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board are of opinion that the trial of such prisoners is provided for in the rules laid down in a despatch of the Hon'ble Court of Directors, No. 8, dated the 1st June 1836 (an extract of which is annexed), and requests that the necessary instructions may be issued to the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána. Directs that the rules in question be acted up to by all the district officers in the Cis-Sutlej States. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th May 1849— Nos. 102-03.
21	No. 6, dated 25th April 1849 ... From—Edward Thornton, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Rechna and Chuj Doabs, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of two females in custody.	Mr. Edward Thornton, Commissioner and Superintendent, Rechna and Chuj Doabs, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a Vernacular proceeding from Mr. Carnac regarding two females, who are in custody under the orders of Sir Frederick Currie, and requests orders on the case.	
	7th May 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Edward Thornton, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Rechna and Chuj Doabs.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a Vernacular proceeding recorded by the President of the Board, and requests that, in accordance therewith, the two females may be released from custody. (D.)	
22	7th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—D. F. McLeod, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.	Papers regarding the system of tracing thieves by their footmarks.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of Mr. McLeod, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, a copy of a Vernacular proceeding requesting that any vernacular papers that may be forthcoming in his office regarding the system of tracing thieves by their footmarks may be forwarded for the perusal of the Board. (D.)	No. 107.
23	No. 1581, dated 30th April 1849 ... From—R. Thornton, Esquire, Assistant Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Despatch of prisoners to Agra Jail.	In reply to a letter No. 1, dated the 10th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, regarding the deportation of certain prisoners under sentence for long terms, Mr. R. Thornton, Assistant Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces, requests that the prisoners in question may be sent to Agra to undergo their respective terms of imprisonment in the jail of that district. (O.)	Nos. 117-18.
	11th May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States. (D.)	
24	No. 326, dated 9th May 1849 ... From—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Relief of Dr. Martin Honigberger by Dr. C. Hathaway.	Dr. C. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that he has not received any instructions from the Board to receive medical charge of the lunatic establishment or Darbar hospital; but that he understands Dr. Honigberger has ceased to attend. Suggests that a building in the city (Raja Suchet Singh's	Nos. 119-23.

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24—*concld.*			stables) be used for the accommodation of the maniacs, as the place in which they are now kept is very far distant from his other duties, and that doors be fixed to the archways of the buildings. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th May 1849— Nos. 119-23.
	11th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Dr. Hathaway, in reply, that Dr. Martin Honigberger has been directed to make over charge to him of all the medical duties he performed for the late Lahore Government, and requests him to receive charge of all medical institutions and establishments belonging to the late Darbar, and to remove them to one place. States that Lieutenant Fagan has been requested to put up doors to the building.	
	11th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Fagan.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks Lieutenant Fagan to assist Dr. Hathaway in fixing doors to a building near the city hospital for the purpose of converting it into cells for maniacs.	
	No. 319, dated 5th May 1849 ... From—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		Dr. C. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration for instructions regarding the Darbar Hospital and Lunatic Asylum and Vaccine establishment, the supply of medicines and instruments for the jail hospital, and his own pay and allowances.	
	11th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that instructions have been already communicated to him regarding the institutions mentioned by him, and desires him to prepare certain scales of establishments, and conveys authority to his drawing in the meantime the same pay and allowances which he has hitherto done, in contingent bills. (D.)	
25	14th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Lahore, Multán, Leiah and Jhelum Divisions and Trans-Sutlej States, and Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and Deputy Commissioners, Pesháwar and Hazára.	English abstracts to accompany Vernacular proceedings in civil cases.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Commissioners and Superintendents of the Lahore, Multán, Leiah and Jhelum Divisions and Trans-Sutlej States, the Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára, requests that in hearing appeals in civil suits they will file with the Vernacular proceedings an attested English abstract of the case, with the grounds of their decision, and require their subordinates to do the same. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th May 1849— No. 129.
26	No. 41, dated 27th April 1849 ... From—W. Edwardes, Esquire, Superintendent, Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Expulsion of Nand Ram from Jubbal territory.	In reply to a letter, dated the 13th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, calling for information connected with the expulsion of Nand Ram from Jubbal territory, Mr. W. Edwardes, Superintendent, Hill States, states that he was removed with the consent of the Rani, and that he reported the circumstance at the time. (O.)	

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27	7th May 1849 ... From—Dr. Martin Honigberger, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Transfer of charge of the Lahore Jail to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.	In reply to a letter dated the 5th May 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, Dr. Martin Honigberger states that he has made over charge of the Lahore Jail to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, and states that he is willlng to continue his services under the British Government, but that, if not accepted, he will be grateful for any pension that may be bestowed upon him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th May 1849— Nos. 135-38.
	14th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, and remarks that the professional qualifications of Dr. Honigberger are not such as to warrant a recommendation in favour of the continuance of his services under the British Government, but that in consideration of a service of 21 years the Board recommend that a pension of Rs. 1,000 per annum be granted him. (D.)	
	14th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Login, Deputy Superintendent, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Dr. Login, Deputy Superintendent, Lahore, that Dr. Martin Honigberger has made over charge to Dr Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, of all the medical establishments of the late Government, and requests that the accounts connected with these establishments be examined and adjusted. (D)	
	14th May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above be forwarded for the information of Dr. Honigberger. (D.)	
28	16th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.	Trial of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, that, owing to the illness of Brigadier Godby, the trial of Mulraj has been postponed; and, in order to avoid further delay, suggests that another or more officers be appointed in the room of Brigadier Godby; the commission to run with a quorum clause. States that Mr. L. Bowring has been appointed to conduct the prosecution and Captain Hamilton the defence of Mulraj. (D.)	No. 142.
29	No. 11, dated 4th May 1849 ... From—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Misconduct of Ram Das, late a daftri in the Government office at Peshâwar.	Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar, brings to the notice of the Secretary to the Board of Administration the misconduct of Ram Das, late a Daftri in the Government office at Peshâwar, during the late rebellion in the Punjab, and states that he has attached his jagir and houses and placed him and his two sons in custody, and requests orders on the case. (O.)	Nos. 152-53.

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29—*concld.*	17th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar.	Misconduct of Ram Das, late a daftri in the Government office at Peshâwar.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board can give no opinion on the special case of Ram Das without perusing the file of proceedings in the case, which when completed should be submitted with an English report. Observes that all parties implicated in the late rebellion who came in and laid down their arms under the general amnesty granted by Major Mackeson cannot be arraigned in our criminal courts, but those who absconded or remained at Labore should be. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th May 1849— Nos. 152-53.
30	No. 5, *dated* 20th April 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Jeeta belonging to a gang of dacoits.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Jeeta, charged with having belonged to a gang of dacoits; and recommends that the prisoner be sentenced to suffer imprisonment for life and be used as an approver by the officers of justice. (O.)	Nos. 164-65.
	19th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board consider the charge fully proved against the prisoner and sentence him to be imprisoned for life in transportation beyond the seas with labour in irons; but to be detained at Ludhiâna and employed as an approver so long as his services may be useful. (D.)	
31	No. 12, dated 30th April 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder case ...	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards the proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Billa, charged with murder by thuggee with plunder of property; and recommends that the prisoner be sentenced to imprisonment for life in transportation beyond the seas with labour in irons. (O.)	Nos. 166-67.
	19th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board do not consider the evidence adduced sufficient to convict the prisoner, and accordingly direct his release. (D.)	
32	No. 75, dated 16th May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Papers relative to the tracing of thieves by their foot-marks.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 59 of the 7th May 1849, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, states that he has not, in his office, any vernacular papers relative to the tracing of thieves by their foot-marks. (O.) No order necessary.	Progs. for the week ending 26th May 1849— No. 173.

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33	No. 12, dated 12th May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Raising of a troop of camelmen for the Jhang district.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter No. 4 of the 11th May 1849, from Mr. Egerton, Assistant Commissioner of Jhang, advising the employment, in the Jhang tract of country under his charge, of 16 camelmen and 2 jamadars, to be selected from the Baluchi inhabitants, and to act as the police force of the district. Mr. Egerton shows, from the nature of the country, the superiority of the proposed camelmen over the ordinary police force, and sends a statement of their salary. The Commissioner recommends that Mr. Egerton's suggestions be carried out, and that a whole troop of camelmen be raised and attached in small portions to each of the newly-organized regiments of Irregular Cavalry. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th May 1849— Nos. 176-78.
	25th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, and solicits the sanction of Government to the engagement of the Shutar Sowars, or mounted camelmen, as a police force, as recommended by Mr. Egerton, and explains why the Board consider such a force necessary. Asks that the Board be invested with authority for the first six months to make arrangements of a similar nature in the police of the Bári and Sagar Doabs. (D.)	
	25th May 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above letter be sent for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.	
34	No. 216, dated 24th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of Mulraj.	In reply to a letter No. 12 of the 16th May 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, conveys the Governor-General's orders for the formation of a fresh court to try Mulraj, consisting of three of any of the following gentlemen, *viz.*, Mr. Mansel, Mr. Montgomery, Brigadier Godby, Colonel Penny, Colonel Jones, 56th Native Infantry, and Major Ross, 19th Native Infantry. Adds that the Governor-General disapproves of the appointment of a British Officer (Captain Hamilton) to conduct the defence of the prisoner, and that he would rather, if it were possible to do so, that native agency were employed for that duty. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd June 1849— Nos. 196-97.
	28th May 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, mentions the names of the officers from which the Board has been directed to select three members for the court to be formed for the trial of Mulraj, and requests	

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			permission from the Major-General Commanding the Division for Colonel Penny to act in the room of Brigadier Godby, then ill, as one of the members, in conjunction with Mr. Mansel and Mr. Montgomery, and that Colonel Penny be requested to communicate with Mr. Mansel on the subject as soon as possible.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd June 1849—
35	2nd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners, Trans-Sutlej States and Cis-Sutlej States.	Submission of reports of Police management of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej Divisions.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration asks the Commissioners of the Trans and Cis-Sutlej States to forward without delay reports of the police management of their respective divisions for the year 1848-49. (D.)	No. 199.
36	2nd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.	Report on the administration of criminal justice in the Cis-Sutlej States.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, to furnish him, as soon as possible, with a report of the administration of criminal justice in the districts under him for the year 1848-49. (D.)	No. 200.
37	No. 20, dated 22nd May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prohibition against the manufacture and sale of arms at Gujrát.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, reports that, agreeably to the instructions of Government, he has prohibited the manufacture and sale of arms at Gujrát and in its neighbourhood; sends a list of artisans thrown out of employ by this act, and recommends that they be employed in the regiments now being raised as armourers, and in the making up of accoutrements, to prevent their following their former employments clandestinely. (O.)	Nos. 201-02.
	2nd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys approval of the authority exercised by the Commissioner, but the Board does not think it necessary to find employment for the workmen thus prohibited from carrying on their trade. Mentions that the artisans will be allowed to exercise their craft hereafter under certain restrictions, and suggests that the new cantonment would very probably afford them ample means of livelihood. (D.)	
38	2nd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States and the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States.	Submission of annual report of civil suits in the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States for 1848-49.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, to forward, with as little delay as possible, the annual report for 1848-49 of civil suits in the districts under their respective charges.	No. 204.

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39	No. 328, dated 28th May 1849 .. From -Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Repairs to the hospital and lunatic asylum in Lahore.	Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, requests that a brick staircase be erected at the lunatic asylum, and asks for a few rough shelves and 50 native beds for the dispensary and lunatic asylum. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th June 1849— Nos 208-09.
	4th June 1849 .. From -The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of Dr. Hathaway's letter to the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, and requests that the District Officer be instructed to complete the required work as soon as possible, charging the cost of the same to the Local Agency Fund of the Lahore District. (D.)	
40	No. 123, dated 5th June 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—L. B. Bowring, Esquire, Public Prosecutor.	Trial of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing Mr. L. B. Bowring, Public Prosecutor, mentions that if any prisoners at Lahore connected with the late rebellion can give any important evidence in the trial of Mulraj, the Board will grant them free pardons as King's witnesses, and that such parties should be brought before the Board at once. (D),	No. 211.
41	No. 22, dated 28th May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of certain insurgents.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, brings to the notice of the Board the case of certain prisoners, in confinement, for having taken part with the insurgent Bhai Maharaj Singh, and recommends the release of all of them with the exception of two (Budun Singh and Mohar Singh), who having attempted to break out of jail, he advises should each undergo a further imprisonment of five years. (O.)	Nos. 217-19.
	No. 127, dated 6th June 1849 ... From -The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, to release such of the prisoners as did not actually fight against the British troops, but to retain in custody those that did so, reducing to five years the sentence of those prisoners who are condemned for longer periods. The two men who were concerned in the attempted outbreak from jail to be imprisoned for three years more, in addition to the five years already imposed on them. (D.)	
42	No. 27, dated 29th May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of prisoners in the fort of Multán.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, requests the Board's instructions regarding 869 prisoners of war taken in the fort of Multán; mentions that he has desired Lieutenant James, Assistant Commissioner, to try them and award punishment.	Nos. 221-22.
	No. 129, dated 6th June 1849 ... From - The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, to bring to trial all the prisoners alluded to, with the exception of labourers,	

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			artisans, and the infirm and old found amongst them, and to sentence all such as are found guilty to periods of imprisonment not exceeding in each case five years. At the conclusion of the trials a report should be made to the Board, who will then have the prisoners distributed amongst the jails of Sindh, and the North-Western Provinces. These instructions to apply to prisoners of war at Chiniót and other places in the Multán district. (D).	Progs. for the week ending 9th June 1849—
43	No. 6, dated 9th May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cognizance of criminal cases.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, solicits the instructions of the Board as to the period from which he should take cognizance of criminal cases in his division which occurred before the annexation. Recommends that crimes of a heinous character, such as murder, etc., should be investigated only, and others, for plundering and the like, be adjusted by arbitration or compensation, but that it be notified that acts of the latter description will in future subject the offenders to severe punishment.	Nos. 223-25.
	No. 130, dated 6th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, not to take cognizance of criminal cases which occurred prior to the 16th December 1846, the date of the treaty of Byrowal. Cases of murder, etc, subsequent to that period are to be tried in the usual manner, but those of plundering and the like which took place during the late hostilities should be settled by arbitration or by compensation being given the injured, as proposed by the Commissioner. Criminals charged with Thuggee or belonging to organised gangs of robbers are, however, to be proceeded against without any reference to the above dates.	
	6th June 1849 ...		Ordered that copies of the above letter be sent for the information and guidance of the Commissioners and Superintendents of the Lahore, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioners, of Pesháwar and Hazára. (D.)	
44	No. 39, dated 18th May 1849 ... From—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Demolition of Sikh lines in Pesháwar.	Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, asks for sanction to the entertainment of 100 labourers for the purpose of destroying and levelling the Sikh lines in the vicinity of Pesháwar, these buildings harbouring thieves and containing large pools of stagnant and unwholesome water. (O.)	Nos. 230-31.

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44—*concld.*	No. 136, dated 8th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar.	Demolition of Sikh lines in Peshâwar.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the required work. Directs the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar to employ convicts; if these are not procurable the labourers are then to be engaged, but the work is to be performed as soon as possible, and the materials of the houses in question to be disposed of in the most advantageous manner. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th June 1849— Nos. 230-31.
45	From—Captain J. Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner, Râwalpindi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Surrender of the Chiefs of Turkhailah (Gandgarh).	Captain J. Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner, Râwalpindi, informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the Chiefs of Turkhailah (Gandgarh) have written to him offering to surrender if their lives are spared. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th June 1849— Nos. 243-45.
	11th June 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain J. Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner, Râwalpindi.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to his addressing the Chiefs of Turkhailah promising them their lives should they come in without delay, but directing him to make no other promise. (D.)	
	11th June 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above letter be forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division. (D.)	
46	From—Lieutenant R. Taylor, Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Conversion of a Hindu widow to Muhammadanism.	Lieutenant R. Taylor, Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an extract from a demi-official letter to Mr. J. Lawrence, requiring information as to what decision he should come to in the case of a Hindu widow abjuring her own faith in favour of Muhammadanism, and wishing her children to adopt the same creed, the relatives of her deceased husband objecting to the latter act on the score of the children's youth. Sends a Kazi's and Pandit's opinion on the case. (O.)	Nos. 246-48.
	11th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant R. Taylor, Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that if the deceased husband's relatives are willing to support and educate the children, being minors, they are to be made over to the nearest of kin, but in case of their objecting to do so they are to remain with the mother, and be brought up in the religion she wishes. Her relations are, however, not to be permitted to interfere in the matter.	
	11th June 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above letter be sent for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division. (D.)	

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47	No. 31, dated 17th May 1849 ... From—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Residency building at Pesháwar.	Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, mentions that the Residency at Pesháwar having been destroyed by the Afghans, and being then in the course of repair, he would wish to know if the Government would sanction the expense, which he estimates from 6 to 8,000 rupees; also what outlay they would like to incur in the erection of a Kutcheri, jail and barracks for the Guide Corps.	Progs. for the week ending 16th June 1849— Nos. 254-56.
	11th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that, if the building can be rendered available, with some additions, for a treasury at a less expense than a new building, the Deputy Commissioner should send in a plan of such additions with their cost. Suggest that there may be some dismantled fort or Government building in the neighbourhood the materials of which might be used for the above mentioned additions and repairs. Notices the late Sikh lines near Pesháwar. Directs him to send a separate letter regarding the barracks for the Guide Corps to the Deputy Secretary to the Board in the Military Department. (D.)	
	11th June 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above letter be sent for the information of the Deputy Secretary to the Board of Administration. (D.)	
48	From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	List of pleaders appointed in the Ambála, Ludhiána, Ferozepore and Kaithal Districts.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a list of the pleaders appointed for his own and the local Civil Courts in the Ambála, Ludhiána, Ferozepore and Kaithal Districts. Offers remarks. (O.)	Nos. 270-72.
	12th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above correspondence to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, and states that the Board are adverse to the principle of adding to the ranks of pleaders. They consider that there is a monopoly in the Cis-Sutlej States, and would prefer that the evidence of suitors be taken. (D.)	
49	No. 4, dated 6th June 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of prisoners who have become blind.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, sends the Secretary to the Board of Administration a list of prisoners in the Lahore Jail who have become irrecoverably blind, as officially reported by Dr. Hathaway, and recommends that they be exempted from the remaining portion of their imprisonment. (D.)	Nos. 278-79.

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49—*concld.*	13th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.	Release of prisoners who have become blind.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, to release all the prisoners alluded to but Hassu and Rukna, sentenced to imprisonment for murder; desires him to have the released culprits delivered over to their friends, or to the heads of their respective villages. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th June 1849— Nos. 278-79.
50	No 876, dated 5th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Entertainment of mounted camelmen as a police force in the Jhang District.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 14, dated the 25th May 1849, the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department conveys the Governor-General's authority to the entertainment of mounted camelmen, as a police force, in one station of the Jhang District, as an experiment, and sends a scale of establishment sanctioned. Mentions that the Governor-General will take into consideration any similar case to the above, but that he cannot give the Board general authority during the first six months to organize such police establishments as they may think necessary. (O.)	Nos. 285-86.
	14th June 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the preceding be sent for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division. (D.)	
51	No. 8, dated 11th June 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	List of property found in the fort of Sheikhupura.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, forwards, for the Board's orders, a copy of a letter dated the 31st May 1849, from the Deputy Commissioner of Sheikhupura, with a list of property found in the fort of that place. Recommends that the valuable portion of it be brought into Lahore and the rest sold on the spot, reserving the grain for the use of the convicts there and transferring the surplus iron to the Executive Engineer at Wazírabad.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1849— Nos. 300-301.
	No. 176, dated 20th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration sends the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, for his information, a copy of the Board's letter No. 54 of the 7th May 1849, to the Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, in which instructions regarding the disposal of the property in question were conveyed, and directs him to have the same carried into effect. (D.)	
52	No. 42, dated 9th June 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the prisoners of war.	In continuation of his letter No. 27, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, forwards, for the instructions of the Board, a report on the prisoners of war in his division, dividing them into 13 classes, and mentioning the punishment he would assign to each. (O.)	Nos. 302-03.

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52—*concld.*	No. 177, dated 20th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.	Report on the prisoners of war.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's instructions relative to the trial of the prisoners and the limit of the sentences to be imposed on each class. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1849— Nos. 302-03.
53	13th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration to substitute the name of Mr. R. Montgomery for that of Mr. J. Lawrence as one of the members of the Court formed for the trial of Mulraj. (O.)	Nos. 304-05.
	No. 18, dated 21st June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the request regarding the substitution of names has been complied with. (D.)	
54	No. 451, dated 12th June 1849 .. From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of certain prisoners under Regulation I of 1849.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States, asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration for the authority of Government for the trial of certain prisoners, under Regulation I of 1849, for the commission of crimes in foreign or independent States. (O.)	Nos. 318-19.
	No. 181, dated 22nd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction. (D.)	
55	Circular No. 184, dated 22nd June 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners in the Punjab and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	System of tracking thieves by their foot-marks.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioners in the Punjab and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára copies of correspondence on the system of tracking thieves by their foot-marks and making the villages to which these steps have last been traced responsible for the amount of property stolen. Conveys the Board's wishes and instructions on this subject, advocating a continuance of the practice, and requests that the same be made known to all district officers. (D.)	No. 321.
56	No. 39, dated 9th June 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Value of property stolen from Brigadier Hearsay.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of correspondence between himself and the Deputy Commissioner of Gujrát relative to the value of some property stolen from Brigadier Hearsay, the amount levied from the zamindars of Chukmittee (to which village the footsteps of the thieves were traced) and the money claimed by the Brigadier. Suggests the discontinuance of such a system, and requests the Board's orders on the subject. (O.)	Nos. 329-31.

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56—*concld.*	No. 188, dated 23rd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division.	Value of property stolen from Brigadier Hearsay.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to the payment to Brigadier Hearsay of the sum claimed, and gives the reason why the Board cannot consent to the abolition of such an advantageous system as the one in question. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1849— Nos. 329-31.
57	22nd June 1849 ... From—C. G. Mansel, Esquire, President of the Commission for the trial of Mulraj, formerly Nazim of Multán, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial and sentence of Mulraj.	Mr. C. G. Mansel, President of the Commission for the trial of Mulraj, formerly Nazim of Multán, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration papers connected with the trial and sentence of Mulraj, for submission to the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General. Comments on the services rendered to the Court by Mr. Bowring and Captain Hamilton in conducting the prosecution and defence of the prisoner, and also on the services of Captain Wakefield, the English recorder, and Maulvi Rajab Ali, the Recorder in the Vernacular Department. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th June 1849— Nos. 345-46.
	No. 31, dated 29th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, and mentions that the papers referred to by Mr. Mansel were forwarded to his address direct from Mr. Mansel's office by express on the 27th June 1849. (D.)	
58	No. 956, dated 12th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of Rattan Sain to the Mandi State.	The Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, for report, a petition from Rattan Sain, son of Raja Ishri Sain, late of Mandi, regarding his claims upon that State.	Nos. 348-50.
	No. 33, dated 29th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, copies of selected correspondence on the subject, and observes that Rattan Sain rejected the allowance of Rs. 150 which was offered to him, and that he has no claim either to the sovereignty of Mandi or to a provision from that State. (D.)	
59	No. 60, dated 28th May 1849 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Removal of Nand Ram from Jubbal.	In reply to a letter No. 75, dated the 14th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, relative to Nand Ram of Jubbal, the Superintendent, Hill States, transmits the Vernacular proceedings in the case. Mentions that his reasons for recommending the removal of Nand Ram were given in detail in his letter No. 92, dated the 25th May 1848, to the address of the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, and that he was authorized to call upon the Rani to carry out the measure, and that since then the affairs of Jubbal have remained in a satisfactory state. (O.)	Nos. 351-53.

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59—*concld.*	No. 199, dated 29th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Removal of Nand Ram from Jubbal.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the dismissal and removal of Nand Ram were virtually sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner; but requests that he will rescind his order directing that individual to leave Simla and go down to the plains. Remarks that there is no investigation into his alleged crimes; that there is no evidence against him, and that the documents consist chiefly of petitions. (D)	Progs. for the week ending 30th June 1849— Nos. 351-53.
60	No. 98, dated 8th June 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Conduct of Mian Bije Singh during the late disturbances in the Jaswan Doon.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration correspondence and Vernacular proceedings connected with the investigation made by the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur into the conduct of Mian Bije Singh, Jagirdar of Kotela, during the late disturbances in the Jaswan Doon. Considers the charge of complicity with the rebels proved against the Mian. Details circumstances which led to the suspension of the Chief Commissioner's orders directing the resumption of the Mian's jagir, and requests instructions regarding it. (O.)	Nos. 368-70.
	No. 34, dated 30th June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General, and brings to light other circumstances connected with the conduct of Mian Bije Singh. Recommends that his jagir be resumed. (D)	
61	No. 329, dated 22nd May 1849 ... From—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical arrangements of the Civil Station of Lahore.	In accordance with instructions contained in letters Nos. 66 and 68 of the 11th May 1849, Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a return of establishments required for the different medical charges and institutions placed under his superintendence. Observes that his salary should be increased by Rs. 150 per mensem on account of the extra duties entailed upon him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th July 1849— Nos. 380-82.
	No. 39, dated 2nd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, a proposition for the medical arrangements of the civil station of Lahore. (D.)	
62	No. 198, dated 10th May 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proclamation against carrying of arms or retaining munitions of war.	In reply to a letter No. 13, dated the 30th April 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, submitting for approval a draft of a Proclamation against the carrying of arms or retaining munitions of war, proposed to be issued throughout the Punjab, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General to its being issued with reservation of certain points to be corrected. (O.)	Nos. 383-84.

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62—*concld.*	No. 40, dated 2nd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with the Governor-General.	Proclamation against carrying of arms or retaining munitions of war.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration submits, for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, copies of correspondence regarding the manufacture, sale and possession of weapons and munitions of war in the countries between the Indus and the Beas and Sutlej. Requests the sanction of Government to a fee of Rs. 2 being levied for each license to carry and possess arms and of Company's Rs. 16 for each license to make and sell gunpowder or weapons of war. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th July 1849— Nos. 383-84.
63	29th June 1849 ... From—Major Edwardes, C. B., Deputy Commissioner, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	List of supporters and servants of Mulraj.	Major Edwardes, C. B., Deputy Commissioner, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a list of the supporters and servants of Mulraj who were notorious in the late insurrection and who have found employment under our Government, and observes that the entertainment of such men is injurious to us in every way. (O.)	Nos. 385-86.
	Circular No. 209, dated 2nd July 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Multán and Leiah Divisions.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Commissioners and Superintendents, Multán and Leiah Divisions, a copy of the above letter, and requests them to direct their subordinates to discharge at once any men noted in Major Edwardes' list who may have been appointed to situations in their respective charges. (D.)	
64	No. 212, dated 2nd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Lahore, Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions.	Licenses for the manufacture, sale and possession of weapons.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioners and Superintendents, Lahore, Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, for distribution, English and Vernacular Proclamations prohibiting, except under certain conditions, the manufacture, sale and possession of weapons or munitions of war in the countries between the Indus on the west and the Sutlej and Beas on the east, exclusive of Hazára; giving instructions with regard to the apportioning of these among the districts under their authority, and requests their attention to certain observations relative to licenses. Annexes a copy of letter No. 213, dated the 2nd July 1849, to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on these subjects for their information. (D.)	Nos. 392-93.
	No. 213, dated 2nd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, copies of the above and other documents for submission to Major-General Sir W. Gilbert, K. C. B., Commanding the Punjab Division. (D.)	

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65	No. 216, dated 3rd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—(1) The Commissioners and Superintendents, Trans-Sutlej States, Lahore, Multán, Leiah and Jhelum Divisions. (2) The Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States. (3) The Deputy Commissioners, Pesháwar and Hazára.	Rules for the administration of Civil Justice in the Punjab and Cis-Sutlej States.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioners and Superintendents, Trans-Sutlej States, Lahore, Multán, Leiah and Jhelum Divisions. the Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára, for distribution, copies of the rules for the administration of Civil Justice in the Punjab and Cis-Sutlej States, and gives instructions with regard to their distribution.	Progs. for the week ending 7th July 1849— No. 400.
66	29th June 1849 ... From—C. G. Mansel, Esquire, President of the Commission for the trial of Mulraj, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Expenses incurred in the prosecution of Mulraj.	Mr. C. G. Mansel, President of the Commission for the trial of Mulraj, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration bills for expenses incurred in the prosecution of Mulraj. (O)	Nos. 412-13.
	No. 224, dated 5th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—C. G. Mansel, Esquire, President of the Commission for the trial of Mulraj.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the necessary orders have been issued for discharging the amount of the two bills above alluded to. (D.)	
67	No. 1116, dated 2nd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prohibition against forced labour and forced supplies in the Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 10, dated the 18th June 1849, the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, states that the orders now issued by the Board prohibiting forced labour and forced supplies in the Punjab are sufficient, and forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Maxwell on the subject for the information of the Board. (D.) No order necessary.	Nos. 424-25.
68	No. 119, dated 28th June 1849 ... From—D. F. McLeod, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Release of a prisoner who has become blind in the Hoshiárpur Jail.	Mr. D. F. McLeod, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur, and requests permission to release a prisoner in the jail of that district who is irrecoverably blind. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th July 1849— Nos. 426-29.
	No. 232, dated 9th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Mr. D. F. McLeod, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction. (D.)	
69	No. 35, dated 3rd July 1849 ... From—R. Montgomery, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proceedings in the cases of Punjab Singh *versus* Bhup Singh and others.	Mr. R. Montgomery, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings in the cases of Punjab Singh *versus* Bhup Singh and 11 others charged with dacoities attended with severe wounding and theft of property, and Government *versus* Sodagar Singh and 11 others charged	Nos. 443-46.

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69—*concld.*		Proceedings in the cases of Punjab Singh *versus* Bhup Singh and others.	with dacoity on the high road attended with murder, severe wounding and theft of money. Recommends that 9 of the prisoners suffer capital punishment, which would act as an example to others, and that one be imprisoned for life in transportation beyond seas. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th July 1849— Nos. 443-46.
	No. 239, dated 9th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—R. Montgomery, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an abstract of the Board's proceedings in the case, sentencing 11 prisoners to suffer death. (D.)	
70	15th June 1849 ... From—The Assistant Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Isar, charged with rape.	The Assistant Commissioner, Pesháwar, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Isar, son of Rahim, charged with rape.	Nos. 449-50.
	No. 242, dated 11th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Assistant Commissioner, Pesháwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Assistant Commissioner, Pesháwar, an abstract of the Board's proceedings in the case sentencing the prisoner to imprisonment for seven years with labour in irons in banishment on the continent of India.	
71	No. 6, dated 6th June 1849 ... From—Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Ram Das and others, charged with treason.	Major George Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Ram Das (No. 1), Ajit Singh (No. 2), and Ganda Mal (No. 3), charged with treason. (O.)	Nos. 455-57.
	No. 245, dated 13th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major George Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Major G. Lawrence, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, an abstract of the Board's proceedings in the case sentencing the prisoner No. 1 to pay a fine of Rs. 28,420, in default of which to imprisonment for 5 years, and authorizing the confiscation of his jagirs and property, real or personal. Sentences Ajit Singh and Ganga Mal, the former to pay a fine of Rs. 100 and the latter of Rs. 285, in default of which to imprisonment for six months each. (D.)	
72	Circular No. 247, dated 13th July 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents of the Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Proposed erection of a large central jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioners and Superintendents of the Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára, states that the Board propose erecting a large central jail for the reception of all prisoners sentenced to periods exceeding three years. Points out that it is undesirable to retain such prisoners at the various stations throughout the Punjab, at few of which there is good jail accommodation. Communicates the intention to remove from the Punjab all prisoners confined for upwards of three years, and requests that lists of such prisoners be forwarded to them. (D.)	Nos. 460-61.

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72—*concld.*	No. 248, dated 13th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.	Proposed erection of a large central jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above circular for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, and remarks that, though the jail at Lahore is strong enough to admit of his retaining some prisoners confined for upwards of three years, it would be unwise to keep desparate characters. Requests lists of all such prisoners in the Lahore Jail and those who are confined for seven years and upwards. Directs that he will submit the lists, called for in the circular, for the other districts of his division. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th July 1849— Nos. 460-61.
73	No. 249, dated 13th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Lahore, Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioners, Pesháwar and Hazára.	Release of prisoners confined for the slaughter of kine.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioners and Superintendents of the Lahore, Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára to release all prisoners confined for the slaughter of kine, which was a criminal offence under the late Government, as also those undergoing punishment for other acts than cow-killing which are not offences under the Criminal Regulations of the British Government or whose sentences are more severe than their provisions allow. (D.)	No. 462.
74	No. 252, dated 13th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Multán, Lahore, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, and Trans-Sutlej States, and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.	Instructions for holding sessions at Sadr Stations.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioners and Superintendents of the Multán, Lahore, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions and Trans-Sutlej States, and the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, points out the expediency of holding the Sessions of each district as often as possible and at its Sadr Station, to avoid exposure to prisoners and the danger of sending them from place to place. Directs them not to depart from these instructions, except in cases of emergency, and then not without the previous sanction of the Board. (D)	No. 465.
75	18th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.	Suspension of the building of the jail at Ludhiána.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, directs the suspension of the building of the jail in course of erection at Ludhiána and the submission of the plans and estimates prepared for it. Mentions that the plan adopted is said to be a bad one. Directs the discontinuance of stocks in use in the Ludhiána Jail. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st July 1849— No. 490.
76	No. 48, dated 21st June 1849 ... From—E. Thornton, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Unconditional surrender of Karam Khan, eldest son of the Chief of the Tarkhaila tribe.	Mr. E. Thornton, Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from Captain Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi, reporting the unconditional surrender of Karam Khan, eldest son of the Chief of the Tarkhaila	Nos. 499-502.

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76—*concld.*		Unconditional surrender of Karam Khan, eldest son of the Chief of the Tarkhaila tribe.	tribe, and stating that he will now be able to reduce the garrison of Gandgarh to 100 men. Remarks on the inexpediency of civil officers carrying on military operations when there is a large force in the district, and thinks it would be better if Captain Nicholson were to attend to the civil management of his charge. (O.)	Progs for the week ending 21st July 1849— Nos. 499-502.
	No. 267, dated 20th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—E. Thornton, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board concur generally in his views, but that until the military arrangements for the peace of the country have been matured, we should be careful not to expose any point to depredation. Observes that in submitting the list of forts for the Ráwalpindi districts details should be given of Gandgarh and other dangerous positions, and that Major Nicholson's head-quarters should be at Ráwalpindi, not Hasan Abdál.	
	No. 268, dated 20th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—Major Abbott, Deputy Commissioner, Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of Major Abbott, Deputy Commissioner, Hazára, a copy of the above, and states that Major Nicholson's head-quarters must eventually be at Ráwalpindi; but that in communication with that officer he can make arrangements for the security of Gandgarh and the country round it. Gives instructions for the trial of Karam Khan. (D.)	
77	Circular No. 274, dated 20th July 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Superintendents, Cis-Sutlej States, Trans-Sutlej States, Jhelum, Lahore, Multán, Leiah Divisions, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Costs in Civil suits.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioners and Superintendents of the Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, Jhelum, Lahore, Multán and Leiah Divisions, the Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára, conveys authority to the presiding officer in a Civil Court to decree summarily in favour of a pleader any amount claimed under engagement up to 5 per cent. on the value of the litigated property; but for any remuneration above that sum the petitioner should be referred to a regular suit. (D.)	No. 509.
78	No. 172, dated 6th July 1849 ... From—M. P. Edgeworth, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cases of Multán prisoners.	Mr. M. P. Edgeworth, Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, refers to former correspondence, and submits, for the approval of the Board, the sentences he has passed on the prisoners of war, with Persian lists of them. Recommends the removal to other jails of prisoners sentenced to 2 years and upwards. (O.)	Nos. 512-18.
	No. 276, dated 21st July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—M. P. Edgeworth, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests Mr. M. P. Edgeworth, Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, to forward the Vernacular proceedings in the cases of the Multán prisoners. Returns lists to supply the	

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			omission of a column, showing the respective periods for which the prisoners have been sentenced to imprisonment. Encloses a new blank form of abstract to be filled up in his office. Remarks on the legal proof of the apprehension and previous occupation of the prisoners. (D.)	
79	No. 1187, dated 11th July 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India with the Governor-General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of Ratan Sain to the sovereignty of Mandi.	In reply to a letter No. 33, dated the 29th June 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, relative to the claim of Ratan Sain, the Secretary to the Government of India, with the Governor-General, states that the Governor-General concurs with the Board as to the invalidity of the petitioner's claims to the sovereignty of Mandi; but directs that Ratan Sain be permitted to receive his assigned allowance of Rs. 150 per month whenever he chooses to take it, without arrears. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th July 1849— Nos. 535-36.
	No. 282, dated 23rd July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above for the information and guidance of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, and requests that the decision may be communicated to the Chief of Mandi and to the petitioner. (D.)	
80	No. 35, dated 20th July 1849 ... From—Dr. J. S. Login, in charge of Maharaja Dalip Singh, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	License for the possession of arms for the attendants of Maharaja Dalip Singh.	In reply to a letter No. 255, dated the 14th July 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, Dr. Login, in charge of Maharaja Dalip Singh, requests to be informed by what District Officer the license for the possession of arms will be granted and to what number of the personal attendants of the Maharaja the privilege will be extended. (O.)	Nos. 540-41.
	No. 284, dated 24th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. J. S. Login, in charge of Maharaja Dalip Singh.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the licenses at Lahore will be granted by the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the district. Requests Dr Login will submit a list of the Maharaja's attendants whom he would recommend for licenses. (D.)	
81	No. 51, dated 18th July 1849 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of all prisoners confined for kine-killing.	In reply to a circular letter No. 249, dated the 13th July 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, directing the release of all prisoners confined for kine-killing and other acts not offences under the Criminal Regulations of the British Government, the Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar, intimates that all the prisoners were liberated on the 23rd October 1848, consequent on the revolt of the Sikh troops. No order necessary.	No. 545.

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82	No. 229, dated 17th July 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Surveillance of Mulraj's brother, Sham Singh.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, solicits the Board's orders regarding Sham Singh now under the surveillance of Mya Lal, Commanding the Rohillah Levy, and states that, as that is being disbanded, there will be no proper place for him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th July 1849— Nos. 553-54.
	No. 290, dated 27th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Commissioner's communication furnishes no information as to Sham Singh's age, character or means of subsistence, nor to the place where the rest of Mulraj's family reside. Calls for full particulars on the above points, and states that if the Rohilla Levy is disbanded the Board imagine other means of surveillance may be found under which Sham Singh could be placed, pending further orders. (D.)	
83	No. 260, dated 21st July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India with the Governor-General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proceedings of the committee appointed to try Diwan Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Government of India, with the Governor-General, acknowledges the receipt of Mr. Mansel's letter of the 22nd June 1849, forwarding proceedings of the committee appointed by the Governor-General to try Diwan Mulraj for the murder of Mr. Vans Agnew and Lieutenant Anderson. Forwards a copy of the Governor-General's minute on the proceedings, ordering remission of sentence of death and substituting that of banishment, which is to be read to the prisoner. Directs that Mulraj shall be kept imprisoned till the proper season for his removal, when his ultimate destination will be decided. Adds his acknowledgments to the committee and the several officers employed for their calm, impartial, and able conduct. (O.)	Nos. 565-68.
	No. 296, dated 27th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—C. G. Mansel, Esquire.		A copy of the above is forwarded for the information and guidance of Mr. C. G. Mansel.	
	No. 297, dated 27th July 1849 ...		A copy of the above Government letter is forwarded for the information of Captain Hamilton.	
84	No. 59, dated 20th July 1849 ... From—R. Montgomery, Esquire, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Multán prisoners.	Mr. R Montgomery, Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration for instructions as to where the 10 Multán prisoners convicted of treason are to be sent, and states that the two prisoners sentenced to imprisonment for life in banishment beyond the seas will be forwarded to Calcutta forthwith.	Nos. 569-70.
	No. 298, dated 27th July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that so soon as the list of prisoners sentenced to long terms, called for in the Board's circular No. 247, dated the 13th instant, is received from him and other Commissioners, a reference	

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			will be made to the Lieutenant-Governor regarding their proposal, and directs that those prisoners who have been sentenced to transportation should be sent to Calcutta in the cold season unless any particular reason exists for their immediate despatch, in which case he is at liberty to arrange accordingly.	
85	No. 309, dated 31st July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Login, Deputy Commissioner, in charge of establishments in the citadel of Lahore.	Sentence passed upon Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Dr. Login, Deputy Superintendent in charge of establishments in the citadel of Lahore, that he has received instructions from the Governor-General sentencing Mulraj to imprisonment for life in transportation beyond the seas. Appoints Dr. Login to the charge and responsibility of the prisoner's safe custody, pending final orders for his removal, and furnishes detailed instructions for his guidance. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th August 1849— Nos. 587-89.
	No. 310, dated 31st July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Burroughs, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for submission to Major-General Sir W. R. Gilbert, G. C. B., Commanding the Division, a copy of a letter No. 309, dated the 31st July 1849, to Dr. Login, regarding the safe custody of Mulraj, and requesting that the Major-General will issue instructions to the Officer Commanding the guard at the citadel to co-operate with Dr. Login in carrying out the Board's orders.	
	No. 311, dated 31st July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration acknowledges the receipt of a letter No. 266, dated the 21st July 1849, from the Secretary to the Government of India enclosing a minute by the Governor-General passing sentence on Mulraj. States that copies of these documents have been furnished to the President of the Commission for his trial, and submits for His Lordship's information copies of instructions issued to ensure the safe custody of the prisoner pending further orders. (D.)	
86	No. 160, dated 27th July 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan, from the Jullundur Jail.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the officiating Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur reporting the escape from his jail of Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan, with a copy of his reply. Requests sanction to the offer of a reward of Rs. 200 for his recapture, and suggests that other Commissioners be addressed on the subject. (O.)	Nos. 603-06.
	1st August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to the reward. Expresses the Board's regret that so noted a political offender should have been allowed to escape. Observes that no precaution ought to have been neglected to ensure his safe custody. Requests that the District Officer be called on to explain why Ichhar Singh was suffered to remain a day longer than necessary at Jullundur. (D.)	

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87	No. 297, dated 27th July 1849 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Trial of the Multán prisoners of war.	In reply to a letter No. 276, dated the 21st July 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, resubmits papers returned therewith for correction, together with the original files of proceedings connected with the trial of the Multán prisoners of war. Remarks upon the insecurity of the jail building, and begs that orders may be issued for the immediate removal of a portion of the prisoners.	Progs. for the week ending 11th August 1849— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 323, dated 6th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board consider the punishment awarded in certain cases disproportionate compared with others, but have nevertheless confirmed all, and directs that additional precautions be taken by the Magistrate to ensure the safe custody of the prisoners. Meantime calls for lists of all such as he would propose to deport, and suggests that those sentenced for periods of three years and under be retained at Multán for employment on public works. (D.)	
88	No. 259, dated 21st July 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Fine imposed on the citizens of Multán.	In reply to a letter No. 10, dated the 20th June 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General is of opinion that no valid considerations have been adduced by the Board sufficient to induce him to remit the fine levied on the citizens of Multán, except the impossibility of realizing it from people who have not the money, which leaves His Lordship no alternative. Mentions that the Governor General regrets the result as affecting the Prize fund, yet cannot entertain the suggestion of the Prize Agent that Government should make up the deficiency from the treasury. The matter has, however, been submitted for the orders of the Court of Directors. (D.)	Nos. 3-5.
	No. 324, dated 6th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán, a copy of Mr. Secretary Elliot's letter, and directs that it be generally announced throughout the city of Multán that the fine has been remitted, not because the citizens deserve mercy, but owing to the impossibility of realizing it. (D.)	
	No. 325, dated 6th August 1849 ...		A copy of the above is forwarded for the information of the Prize Agents at Gujránwála.	

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89	No. 38, dated 2nd August 1849 .. From—Dr. J. S. Login, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Safe custody of *ex*-Diwan Mulraj.	Dr. J. S. Login, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, acknowledges the receipt of a letter No. 309, dated the 31st July. Reports having taken charge of the prisoner Mulraj and the arrangements he has made for his safe custody and supplying his wants. Requests sanction to the erection of a light verandah in front of the prisoner's present quarters, and proposes that Narayan Singh, another prisoner, be removed to some other place.	Progs. for the week ending 11th August 1849— Nos. 18-21.
	No. 332, dated 8th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr J. S. Login.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to the erection of the thatched verandah, and directs that the prisoner Narayan Singh be sent under proper escort to Mr. Bowring.	
	No. 333, dated 8th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—L. Bowring, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Mr. L. Bowring, Assistant Commissioner, Lahore, that Dr. Login has been directed to forward to him a prisoner named Narayan Singh, whose safe custody is to be looked to, pending his trial before the Board. (D.)	
	No. 334, dated 8th August 1849 ...		A copy of the above is forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division. (D).	
90	20th June 1849 ... From—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Application for the appointment of two native doctors for civil duties at Lahore.	Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, represents the urgent necessity that exists for the appointment of two efficient native doctors, for civil duties, at Lahore, and requests that the matter may be referred to the Superintending Surgeon.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 65, dated 19th May 1849 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Punjab Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In reply to a letter No. 81, dated 14th May 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Superintending Surgeon, Punjab Division, reports having nominated one native doctor for civil duties at Lahore, and promises to select a second, qualified for the duties. No order.	
91	No. 232, dated 28th July 1849 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Punjab Division, To- The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of native doctors for civil duties at Lahore.	The Superintending Surgeon, Punjab Division, submits for the orders of the Board correspondence with the Civil Surgeon, Lahore, respecting the appointment of native doctors for civil duties and noticing the duties performed by himself Recommends that Dr. Hathaway be relieved of the dispensary and jail duties by Assistant Surgeon G. C. Thorp. (O.)	Nos. 29-40.

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91—*concld.*	No. 336, dated 10th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeon, Punjab Division.	Appointment of native doctors for civil duties at Lahore.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the Board's sanction to the transfers proposed in letter No. 113, and annexes copies of letters addressed this day to the Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, and the Civil Surgeon, Lahore, on the subject. States that the Board will esteem it a favour if men of superior qualifications can be selected for civil duties at Lahore; if not, they would be glad to have the services of an Apothecary placed at their disposal. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th August 1849— Nos. 29-40.
	No. 8, dated 7th July 1849 From—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Civil Surgeon, Lahore, asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration to make an application to Government to confirm the appointments of the medical subordinates, attached to the Civil Departments, at Lahore, in order to prevent the inconvenience and irregularity which result from their being permitted to return after a short period to regimental duty. (O.)	
	No. 337, dated 30th August 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Civil Surgeon will permit 2 native doctors to return to their former duties when relieved by others sent by the Superintending Surgeon. (D.)	
	No. 673, dated 31st July 1849 ... From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant General, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a letter with enclosures from the Officer Commanding at Lahore, dated the 27th July 1849, relative to two native doctors at present employed in the jail at Lahore and the Civil Station at Sheikhupura, and requests that the Board will authorize their return to the corps to which they belong on being relieved by others recently arrived from Calcutta.	
	No. 338, dated 10th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board, considering the Superintending Surgeon the proper judge of the distribution of the subordinate medical establishment, have informed him that the native doctors can return to their former posts on being relieved. (D.)	
92	No. 60, dated 28th July 1849 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of slaves.	The Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, refers to the applications made daily by slaves desirous of being released from bondage, and requests the Board's orders as to whether he should cause the release of all who make application to him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th August 1849— Nos. 6-8.

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92—*concld.*	No. 342, dated 13th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshâwar.	Release of slaves.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that slavery is never recognized in the courts of the British Government; all persons therefore *applying to be released* should at once be declared free agents, and the courts should regard every act which done by or upon a freeman would have been illegal as equally illegal if done by or upon a so-called slave. The sale and purchase, including exportation and importation of slaves, should at once be put an end to, and all offenders severely punished. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th August 1849— Nos. 6-8.
	No. 343, dated 13th August 1849 ...		Ordered that a copy of the above letter be forwarded to each of the Commissioners in the Punjab and to the Deputy Commissioner of Hazára. (D.)	
93	No. 270, dated 8th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Safe custody of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Government of India communicates the Governor-General's approval of the orders issued by the Board for the safe custody of Mulraj, and states that His Lordship expresses his conviction that irons will not be placed on the prisoner, unless the measure appears absolutely necessary to guard against his escape. No order.	No. 24.
94	No. 23, dated 21st June 1849 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Agreement for the protection of the Kohât Pass.	The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a translation of an agreement entered into between himself and the headmen of villages in the Kohât Pass for its protection, as also translations of petitions presented by them. Observes that since the execution of this agreement robberies and murders have been committed in the Pass, and the headmen having refused to give up the culprits arrangements are in contemplation until the weather permits of his proceeding, with a suitable force, to the Pass for the purpose of making a military road and building proper police stations.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 353, dated 14th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board see no objection to the arrangement which is simply paying the headmen to guard the road, but their complaint of not being regularly paid as well as the allusion in their petition to obtaining salt from the British territory free, requires explanation. Observes that the Board are prepared to recommend any establishments absolutely required for the protection of the Pass, but they desire that no military operations be undertaken without consulting the Military authorities and reporting more fully on the subject. (D.)	

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95	No. 85, dated 10th July 1849 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Expulsion of Nand Ram from the Jubbal State.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 199, dated the 29th June 1849, the Superintendent, Hill States, states that the only order issued by him respecting Nand Ram was that he should remove below the station of Simla, because his constant intrigues were thwarting the measures in progress for settling certain parganas. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th August 1849— Nos. 38-9.
	No. 360, dated 15th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent, Hill States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that from the tenor of his order in the word "Nicheko,"* the Board were led to believe that Nand Ram was required to remove to the plains, but they observe that under any circumstances turning the man out of Simla was an illegal proceeding. (D.) (*Downwards.)	
96	No. 372, dated 16th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 360, dated the 15th instant, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Superintendent, Hill States, that Nand Ram has been given to understand that he is at liberty to return to Simla, but not to Jubbal, nor to visit the Rani or her son without subjecting himself to punishment. (D)	No. 57.
97	No. 312, dated 31st July 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration for the affairs of the Punjab.	Dismissal from service of all dependants of Diwan Mulraj.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán, acknowledges the receipt of letter No. 209, dated the 2nd July 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, and forwards copies of letters from the Assistant Commissioner of Multán explaining under what circumstances certain natives, said to have been servants and supporters of Mulraj at the time of his rebellion, have found employment under the British Government. Exonerates two from blame and mentions having directed the Assistant Commissioner to dismiss all others so soon as their successors can be nominated. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th August 1849— Nos. 1-2.
	20th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board desire that all who are mentioned as having sided with Mulraj either openly or covertly be dismissed as early as possible. Offers to send efficient men as Tahsildars from Lahore if required, and requests to be informed how the Rabi instalment said by Lieutenant James, the Assistant Commissioner, to have been in course of collection so late as 31st July was not earlier attended to. (D.)	

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98	No. 388 (circular), dated 21st August 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, four Commissioners in the Punjab, Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej, and Deputy Commissioners, Hazára and Pesháwar.	Rules regarding confessions of guilt in murder cases.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, four Commissioners in the Punjab, the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar, refers to the numerous cases of murder and other heinous offences in which confession of guilt has been made by the prisoners. Observes that the courts cannot be too cautious in admitting confessions before them, or giving full weight to those taken before subordinate courts, and lays down certain rules for observance in such cases. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th August 1849— No. 14.
99	No. 48, dated 25th August 1849 ... From—Dr. J. S. Login, Deputy Superintendent, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the health of Mulraj.	Dr. J. S. Login, Deputy Superintendent, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, reports that in consequence of the health of Mulraj being affected by the restraint of confinement in irons he has caused them to be removed from one leg in anticipation of the Board's sanction, and forwards a copy of his letter of instructions to the Officer Commanding the guard over the prisoner. (O.) No order.	No. 45.
100	No. 170, dated 31st July 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Mode of dealing with murder cases in the territories of Chiefs vested with independent police powers.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kángra offering suggestions in respect to the mode of dealing with cases of murder when they occur in the territories of Chiefs vested with independent police powers. Expresses his concurrence with the views of the Deputy Commissioner, and submits that it would be well if Government ruled that crimes liable to the punishment of death be in the first instance tried in the court of the European district officer instead of the Commissioner being required to form his judgment on the proceedings of the Chief.	Progs. for the week ending 1st September 1849— Nos. 20-21.
	No. 421, dated 29th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board do not see any judicial necessity for the change proposed, inasmuch as the power at present exercised secures important objects, *viz*, that of restraining a Chief from taking the lives of his subjects under colour of State offences and of regulating the application of barbaric systems of administering justice in other than political crimes, but observes that the Board consider that cases of this description when referred by an independent Chief should come before the Commissioner and not the District Officer. (D.)	

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101	No. 81, dated 1st August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of Duttoo Shah and others to the value of some jewels.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, forwards for the orders of the Board the case of Duttoo Shah and four others, plaintiffs, *versus* the Government of the Punjab, defendant, claim to Rs. 15,150, being value of jewels sold by plaintiffs to Jallah Pandit, then the favourite of Raja Hira Singh and virtually Chief Minister in the Punjab. Enters into the particulars of the case, and expresses his opinion that the Darbar, in whose place the Government now stand, was liable and should have paid up the balance of the original claim. Submits whether Government should not now meet the demand, since the State treasury in which these jewels were is now in the possession of the Government.	Progs. for the week ending 1st September 1849—Nos. 29-30.
	No. 426 dated 30th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of the Commissioner's letter for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General. States that the Board are of opinion that there is every reason to believe that the jewels referred to are still unpaid for, and in the State treasury, and, with reference to the peculiar circumstances of the case, requests His Lordship's sanction to the payment of the balance due, *viz.*, Rs. 8,564.	
102	No. 115, dated 16th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of of Administration, Punjab.	Slaughter of kine.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, forwards, for the information of the Board, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, with enclosures, reporting an attempt on the part of the Hindu population at that place to enforce a suspension of the order regarding slaughter of kine. States that he has directed the Deputy Commissioner to trace, if possible, the authors of the report that the order in question had been suspended in other parts of the country. (O.)	Nos. 34-6.
	No. 428, dated 30th August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board think it should be generally made known throughout the Leiah Division that the permission to kill kine has nowhere been rescinded, and the people warned of the consequences attending either active or passive resistance of the orders of Government. (D.)	
	No. 130, dated 21st August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner, Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above, the Commissioner, Leiah Division, forwards a copy of another letter from the Deputy Commissioner reporting that the excitement amongst the Hindus had subsided. (O.)	
			No order.	

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103	No. 106, dated 17th August 1849 .. From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of Fazlee, courtezan.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, forwards, for the orders of the Board, proceedings in the trial of Fazlee, courtezan, plaintiff, *versus* Mirdad, Yasin Khan, and Maharaj, defendants, the two first charged with the murder of a girl, daughter of the plaintiff, and the latter with purchasing the ornaments on her person. Details the circumstances of the case, and with reference to the conflicting nature of the evidence, states that nothing is proved against the second and third prisoners sufficient to convict them; but that the confession of the first establishes against him the crime of being accessory before and after the fact; and accordingly recommends that he be sentenced to imprisonment for life in banishment. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st September 1849—Nos. 39-40.
	No. 430, dated 31st August 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner aud Superintendent, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case, and forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings, together with a warrant sentencing the prisoner Mirdad Khan to suffer death, instead of transportation, it being clearly proved that the prisoner was an accomplice and accessory before the fact in the perpetration of a most heartless and odious murder, the punishment for which according to English law and regulation, as it now exists, should be the same as that awarded to the principal. (D.)	
104	Circular No. 435, dated 1st September 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners in the Punjab, the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej, and the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.	Execution and return of warrants in criminal cases.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addresses all the Commissioners in the Punjab, the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, and the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutiej States, and states that the Board, observing a want of uniformity in the execution and return of their warrants in criminal cases, direct their attention to certain instructions as to the manner in which they should be disposed of.' (O.)	No. 49.
105	No. 116, dated 25th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of one Sham Singh, late a Jamadar in the service of the Lahore Governmen t, to a superannuation pension.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore, submits, for the consideration of the Board, the claim of one Sham Singh, late a Jamadar in the service of the Lahore Government, to a superannuation pension. Observes that the man is now 70 years of age, has been 50 years of that period in the service of the late Government, and was dismissed on the new arrangements coming into effect merely because his age and consequent infirmity unfitted him for the efficient performance of his duties. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th September 1849—Nos. 7-8.
	No. 443, dated 4th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board feels satisfied that Government would not recognize the claim of this individual to a life pension when their own ser-	

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			vants of this class are denied the privilege, but in consideration of the advanced age of the applicant and his past services they authorize the payment to him of a gratuity, equal to six months' salary, or Rs. 90, for which a bill in duplicate should be submitted. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th September 1849—
106	No. 1437, dated 14th August 1849 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Complaint preferred by the Muhammdans of Multán.	The Secretary to the Government of India refers to entry No. 779 of the Board's Abstract of proceedings in the General Department for the week ending the 14th July respecting a complaint preferred by the Muhammadan inhabitants of the town of Multán, and requests that copies of all papers having reference to the subject be forwarded for the information of the Governor-General. (O.)	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 444, dated 4th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that to the petition first presented to the Board and by them submitted to the Commissioner of Multán no reply was received, as no report was called for, but forwards, for the information of His Lordship, copies of a subsequent correspondence regarding the employment in the Multán and Leiah Divisions of persons obnoxious to the British Government by their former treason, or to the people generally in consequence of their former tyranny. (D.)	
107	No. 121, dated 18th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Instructions respecting the possession of arms or munitions of war in the Punjab.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, acknowledges the receipt of the Board's circular instructions respecting the possession of arms or munitions of war in the Punjab. Requests information as to how parties of armed travellers and merchants proceeding eastward from the trans-Indus Provinces are to be dealt with, and suggests that the Deputy Commissioners there be empowered to grant the necessary licenses.	Nos. 11-13.
	No. 445, dated 4th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that no armed traveller, or party of travellers, should be permitted to cross into the Cis-Indus Provinces without licenses, which the Deputy Commissioners, Trans-Indus, are accordingly authorized to grant in the form and under the restrictions prescribed by the Board. (D.)	
	No. 446, dated 4th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners, Peshawar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the above letters for the information and guidance of the Deputy Commissioners of Peshawar and Hazára. Directs that they will make the Board's wishes generally known, and grant licenses to parties wishing to come armed into the eastern provinces of the Punjab, provided the applicants for such licenses be men of character and respectability. (D.)	

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108	No. 144, dated 27th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Practice of gambling rife at Dera Gházi Khan.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 384 of the 20th August 1849, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, forwards for their information an original letter from, and draft of a letter to the Deputy Commissioner, Dera Gházi Khan, respecting the practice of gambling, hitherto a source of revenue to the State, but which the Commissioner directs must now be punished as a criminal offence. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th September 1849— Nos. 43-4.
	No. 465, dated 8th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the original correspondence alluded to. (D.)	
109	No. 66, dated 28th August 1849 ... From—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Mitigation of the punishment awarded to a prisoner in the Ferozepore jail.	The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner of Ferozepore recommending mitigation of the punishment awarded to a prisoner of the Ferozepore jail in consideration of his having aided in the recapture of an escaped convict. Suggests that the total period of the prisoner's confinement, *viz.*, seven years, be reduced to five. (O.)	Nos. 45-6.
	No. 466, dated 8th September 1849.. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board concur in the recommendation. (D.)	
110	No. 141, dated 27th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rebels captured at Harrand.	As directed in letter No. 385 of the 20th August 1849, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, in original, letters regarding 54 prisoners taken at Harrand who were more or less implicated in the rebellion at Multán and among whom were three Munshis who have been released. (O.)	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 468, dated 8th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns original letters, and remarks that, as the Munshis have been released, no further orders regarding them are necessary, though it was intended that they should be included with labourers and artizans in the term "non-combatants" used in the Board's letter No. 129 of 6th June 1849. Directs that the remaining 51 prisoners be tried and punished or released according to their deserts, and a vernacular list of all the sentences passed sent to the Board for further instructions. Forwards copies of certain correspondence detailing the views of the Board as to the proper sentences in such cases.	

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111	No. 65, dated 25th August 1849 ... From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial in the Civil Courts of cases in which Government may be a party.	The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, represents the objections that exist to the trial in the Civil Courts of cases in which Government may be a party arising from the Collector being also the Sadr Amin when the cause of action arises in the same district. Points out a case in which the Judge was also defendant on the part of Government; and with a view to obviating the recurrence of a similar proceeding, suggests that the Deputy Commissioners and their Assistants be prohibited from disposing of similar cases, and directed to refer them to the Judge who will select some particular district to which the suit should be transferred. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th September 1849— Nos. 7-9.
	No. 470, dated 10th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Erskine, Civil and Sessions Judge.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board concur in the opinion expressed and the expediency of the measure proposed for remedying the evil. Directs that it be accordingly carried into effect.	
	No. 471, dated 10th September 1849		A copy of the above is furnished to all Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára for their information and guidance. (D.)	
112	No. 475, dated 11th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.	Sale of stamps	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, a copy of a tabular statement prepared from the civil statements submitted by him, and requests attention to the great decrease in the amount realized by sale of stamps in the face of an increase of work. Calls for the result of his enquiries into this difference, and also copies of some civil statements that are missing.	No. 14.
113	No. 188, dated 30th August 1849 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan, from the Jullundur Jail.	In reply to a letter No. 312½ of the 1st August 1849 from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, explaining the circumstances under which Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan, was so long detained as a prisoner in the jail of his district, and not forwarded to the Provinces. (O.)	Nos. 37-9.
	No. 485, dated 12th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General, copies of correspondence regarding the escape of Ichhar Singh from the hospital of the Jullundur Jail. Mentions particulars concerning the active part taken by him in the late rebellion of the Hill Chiefs in the Hoshiárpur district. States that the Board consider his escape an unfortunate occurrence and his recapture of much importance, to effect which they solicit His Lordship's	

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113—*concld.*		Escape of Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan, from the Jullundur Jail.	sanction to the offer of a reward of Rs. 1,000; and promises to furnish for the information of the Governor-General a report on the investigation which has been instituted into the supposed connivance of the Sikh Guard in the prisoner's escape. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th September 1849—Nos. 37-9.
	No. 486, dated 12th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, refers to the 3rd paragraph of letter No. 155, dated the 25th July 1849, from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, regarding the escape of Ichhar Singh, and calls for a report on the result of the investigation instituted into the conduct of the Sikh Guard in connection with that occurrence. (D.)	
114	No. 436, dated 23rd August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder case ...	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the original Vernacular file of proceedings together with the English abstract in the case of Government *versus* Mussummat Dhunnee, charge wilful murder of her child. States that after taking into consideration the deposition of the witnesses the verdict pronounced by the jury is "Murder under temporary insanity." Observes that the Civil Surgeon certifies that the prisoner is not of unsound mind, but, giving her the benefit of the doubt, recommends transportation.	
	No. 492, dated 13th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case together with the English abstract of the Board's proceedings and a warrant sentencing the prisoner to imprisonment for life, with labour suited to her sex, in transportation on the continent of India. (D.)	
115	No. 129, dated 21st August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disarming of the population in the Punjab.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of letters from and to Major Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner, Ráwalpindi, regarding a proposal for exempting from the operation of the Board's orders for disarming the population in the Punjab two tracts in that district, *viz.*, Gandgarh and Kurri, and, secondly, that certain residents of the Ráwalpindi district should receive licenses to carry arms free of cost, in consideration of their having fought on the part of the British during the late disturbances and of this privilege having been guaranteed to them. (O.)	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 159, dated 1st September 1849 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above letter (No. 129, dated the 29th August 1849), the Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy	

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115—*concld.*		Disarming of the population in the Punjab.	of a further communication from Major Nicholson repeating his request in behalf of the men of his district who fought under him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th September 1849— Nos. 54-5.
	13th September 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that, under the circumstances urged by Major Nicholson, the Board have consented to exempt the inhabitants of Gandgarh and Kurri from the operation of the order in question; and also authorizes the grant of licenses free of charge, on unstamped paper, to the parties in whose favour that officer has solicited the indulgence. All licenses, however, to be renewed every 12 months to such holders of them as continue deserving of the privilege. (O.)	
116	No. 77, dated 21st May 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Departure for Almorah of certain rebel Rajas.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur reporting the departure for Almorah of certain rebel Rajas, and requests that the orders of Government may be obtained in regard to the disposal of Jai Singh, son of the Jaswan Raja, his present place of confinement, the Bajwara fort, being inconvenient for a State prisoner. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd September 1849— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 504, dated 18th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In continuation of the late Chief Commissioner's letter No. 48½, dated the 24th March 1849, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the orders of the Governor-General, copies of the Commissioner's letter and its enclosure respecting Jai Singh. Recommends that he be also sent to Almorah. (D.)	
117	No. 506, dated 18th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Enhancement of punishment in criminal cases.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the consideration of the Governor-General, a recommendation by the Board that appellate courts in the Punjab be authorized in criminal cases to enhance the punishment awarded by an inferior court, and to direct a reinvestigation where an acquittal has been erroneously allowed, and that they themselves be empowered to punish with the extreme penalty of the law crimes of violence accompanied with aggravated circumstances, although not including homicide. Details the circumstances that render this measure necessary. (D.)	No. 22.
118	No. 54, dated 15th September 1849 From—Dr. J. S. Login, Deputy Superintendent, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Custody of Mulraj.	Dr. J. S. Login, Deputy Superintendent, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, reports that, it appearing to him that the health of Mulraj continued to be injuriously affected by the restraint which fetters imposed, he has ordered them to be entirely removed in anticipation of the orders of the Board. (O.) No order.	No. 27.

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119	No. 155, dated 25th July 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Ram Singh, son of the *ex*-Wazir of Núrpur.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Board, the vernacular proceedings held by the Deputy Commissioner of Kángra, together with those of his own court, in the case of Ram Singh, son of the *ex*-Wazir of Núrpur, charged with invading the territories of the British Government and opposing their troops in September 1848 and January 1849. Enters into the merits of the case, and referring to the punishments awarded in cases of a similar nature, and to the prisoner's plea that he was driven to join the enemies of the British from absolute destitution arising from obstacles to his obtaining support from those upon whom he had hereditary claims, recommends that his case be viewed indulgently, and that he be sentenced to imprisonment without labour for such time and in such place beyond the limits of the Punjab as Government may deem fit. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd September 1849—Nos. 32-3.
	No. 509, dated 19th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General, copies of all documents having reference to the case of Ram Singh, and details the crimes which he and his followers perpetrated at different times. States that the Board are of opinion that it would be unreasonable to suppose that Ram Singh would have proved peaceable even if he had the means of subsistence, being known as a turbulent and dangerous character. Observes that his conduct was more reprehensible than that of the Sikh Chiefs, who struggled for native independence rather than self-aggrandizement, and that there is nothing on record to palliate the several accounts of violence and oppression committed by him and his followers; but the Board taking into consideration the circumstances represented by the Commissioner have sentenced Ram Singh to imprisonment for life in irons and in banishment beyond the seas. (D.)	
120	23rd July 1849 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder case ...	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Shah Wali, Fakiru, Hassan and Ukhu, defendants, charged with murder of one Muhammad Sher. States that the prisoners having made the atonement for blood usual in the wild country to which they belong and thereby satisfied the mother of the deceased, surrendered themselves. Observes that their apprehension would otherwise have been doubtful, if not impossible, and, under these circumstances, forwards the case for the Board to judge how far they weigh against the necessity for severe example. (O.)	Nos. 50-51, ——

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120—*concld.*	No. 519, dated 20th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.	Murder case ...	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case, accompanied by an English abstract of the Board's proceedings, and warrants sentencing the prisoners to imprisonment for life in banishment with labour in irons beyond the seas. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd September 1849—Nos. 50-51.
121	No. 187, dated 30th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Registration of deeds.	As desired in letter No. 329 of the 8th August 1849, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, in original, correspondence connected with his circular on the subject of the registration of deeds. States it to be his opinion that no system of registration would be useful unless introduced into the interior of districts, and mentions that he is making certain enquiries with the view of reporting more fully on the subject hereafter. (O.)	Nos. 54 6.
	No 52 ', dated 20th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the Board attach much importance to this question, and requests that he will complete his enquiries and report the measures which may seem most desirable to make the office of registry efficient. Encloses a copy of a circular issued by the Board on the subject. (D.)	
	Circular No. 521, dated 20th September 1849. From - The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board, except Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, and the Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration circulates the correspondence to all Commissioners under the Board except the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej, and the Civil and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej, and requests that they will institute enquiry and report to the Board what machinery exists or can be easily supplied for a complete system of registry throughout their respective divisions, and whether the Tahsildars or Kanungos of each tahsil could be entrusted with the registration of deeds, recording their opinion also as to whether registry should be compulsory. (D.)	
122	No. 144, dated 14th September 1849 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Assault committed by Mr. Tandy on a sepoy.	In reply to a letter No. 473, dated the 10th September 1849, from the Secretary to the Board of Administration, the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore, details particulars connected with the case of assault committed by Mr. Tandy on a sepoy at one of the city gates for which he was fined Rs. 20 by the Magistrate. States that he considers the punishment quite inadequate to the offence, and has communicated his opinion to the Magistrate. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th September 1849—Nos. 4-6.
	No. 530, dated 24th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration calls his attention to certain remarks by the Board, who consider the Magistrate's proceedings in this case quite unsatisfactory, and his judgment much in fault. Observes that	

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122—*concld.*		Assault committed by Mr. Tandy on a sepoy.	Mr. Tandy should have been punished by a fine of Rs. 500 (which would have been only a proper penalty) for assaulting a sepoy who performed his duty. States that in the event of a similar want of judgment being evinced by the Magistrate the Board will deem it their duty to make a representation to Government on the subject. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th September 1849—Nos. 4-6.
	No. 531, dated 24th September 1849		Copy of the above is forwarded for the information of Brigadier Penny, Commanding the Station. (D.)	
123	No. 533, dated 25th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Administration of Civil justice in the district of Simla.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General, copies of certain correspondence between the Superintendent, Hill States, and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, respecting the administration of civil justice in the district of Simla, and represents the existing anomaly owing to the divided control exercised over it by the Board and the Agra Court, and the consequent inconvenience felt by all parties, as well as the additional labour caused in the office of the Superintendent. States that the Board therefore recommend the repeal of Act XV of 1836 placing Simla under the Sadr Court and the substitution of an order making it subject to the jurisdiction of the Commissioner and Judge, Cis Sutlej States, and through them to that of the Board. (D.)	No. 8.
124	No. 1706, dated 14th September 1849. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of certain creditors of the late Jallah Pandit to Rs. 8,564.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 132, dated the 30th August 1849, respecting the claim of certain creditors of the late Jallah Pandit to Rs. 8,564, the Secretary to the Government of India observes that the Governor-General does not consider that the plaintiffs have any claim in law or of right, but, as a matter of liberality, conveys sanction to their receiving the amount of their claim. (O.)	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 535, dated 25th September 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore.		A copy of Sir H. M. Elliot's letter is forwarded for the information and guidance of the Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore. (D.)	
125	Circular No. 541, dated 26th September 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners, Lahore, Jhelum, Multán and Leiah Divisions, and the Deputy Commissioners, Hazára and Pesháwar.	Dieting of prisoners.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioners, Lahore, Jhelum, Multán and Leiah and the Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar, states that the Board observes a want of uniformity in the systems pursued in the jails under their authority in respect to the dieting of prisoners. Directs therefore that messes should be introduced into every jail. Furnishes a scale of daily diet for adoption, and lays down general rules for observance in respect to the treatment of the prisoners and the cleanliness of the jails, &c. (D.)	No. 28.

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126	No. 108, dated 1st October 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of cannibalism in the Amritsar District.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioner and Civil Surgeon of Amritsar regarding a most revolting case of cannibalism detected in that district, which the Deputy Commissioner observes did not proceed from poverty or starvation, as the wretch had obtained both food and alms on the very day that he roasted and fed on the child's body. States that the crime is so new and unprovided for by our laws that he requests the opinion of the Board on the subject. Observes that, with reference to the Civil Surgeon's remark that "this is not a singular instance, but that the practice of disinterring and eating human bodies is much more prevalent in the Punjab than is generally supposed", he has asked the Deputy Commissioner to make further enquiries and report on the subject. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th October 1849— Nos. 40-41.
	No. 575, dated 6th October 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that they are not aware of any special law that can touch the case in question, but under the general regulations they consider the prisoner should be tried for the theft of the body, of the clothes on it, and for the act of eating the child as an offence against society, and, if he be not mad, and his guilt proved, he should be sentenced to imprisonment for seven years with hard labour in irons. (D.)	
127	No. 169, dated 1st October 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	The disarming or otherwise of sepoys returning from leave.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore, forwards, for the perusal and orders of the Board, copies of certain correspondence between the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar and the Officer Commanding the garrison at Govindgarh relative to the disarming of a camp follower, and which has given rise to the question whether sepoys returning from their homes are liable to the same rule. Remarks upon the general dissatisfaction that such a measure would cause, and states that, pending orders of the Board, he has directed that the police be authorized to pass into the Punjab all who are *bonâ fide* sepoys, with their camp followers and relatives, armed. Observes that he has not cancelled this order consequent on the receipt of the Board's circular of the 26th September 1849, as it provides for the contingency of sepoys returning unprovided with certificates from the Cis and Trans-Sutlej territories (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th October 1849— Nos. 8-11.
	8th October 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration replies that the difficulty of carrying out the order alluded to in respect to sepoys was foreseen by the Board, and that their circular of the 26th September	

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127—*concld.*		The disarming or otherwise of sepoys returning from leave.	1849 was issued with a view to meet it, copies having been sent to the Major-General Commanding the Division in order that the contents should be generally made known to the Military in his own and the Sirhind Divisions, and to the Commissioners, Cis and Trans-Sutlej, who were also instructed to give licenses on plain paper to sepoys returning from furlough. Observes that the Board consider that the proclamation will be a dead letter and the object of Government defeated if any exemption is made in favour of camp followers or sepoys, and that after the present season they must protect themselves with licenses; and then the indulgence should be restricted, in respect to camp followers, to the few who can be recommended by their superiors or furnish security. Furnishes instructions for his immediate guidance to the effect that sepoys may be allowed to pass armed, but their followers detained unless they provide licenses.	Progs. for the week ending 13th October 1849—Nos. 8-11.
	8th October 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above for the information of Major-General Sir W. R. Gilbert, G. C. B., and states that the Board hope that the measure they have adopted will prevent any collision between the police and sepoys and at the same time cause no unnecessary inconvenience to the latter.	
	8th October 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Governor-General, copies of the three foregoing letters, and requests His Lordship's sanction to the measures they have adopted in regard to sepoys returning from furlough. Suggests that the exemptions they have made be regarded as special, and that the proclamation prohibiting the possession of arms in the Punjab be strictly enforced for the future. (D.)	
128	No. 158, dated 20th September 1849 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mussammat Kishan Devi *versus* Sukh Ram.	The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings, with English abstract thereof, in the case of Mussammat Kishan Devi, prosecutrix, *versus* Sukh Ram, charged with the murder of Kishore Dass, the adopted son of the prosecutrix, for the sake of ornaments on his person. Sums up the evidence in the case, which, together with the dying declaration of the deceased, prove the prisoner's guilt, and recommends that he be accordingly sentenced to suffer death. (O.)	Nos. 17-19.
	8th October 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case, together with an English abstract of the proceedings of the Board, who are of opinion that though	

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			there are strong probabilities against the prisoner, his guilt is not altogether clear, inasmuch as there was a strange hesitation in the declaration made by the dying man, and the words attributed to him do not seem such as would be used by a man speaking of an assassin whom he thoroughly recognized, and with whom he was in daily intercourse. Remands the case in order that the evidence of the Officiating Deputy Commissioner (before whom the statement of the deceased was made) be taken and some other deficiencies supplied. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th October 1849 —
129	No. 92, dated 3rd September 1849. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of swindling.	In compliance with instructions conveyed in the Board's letter No. 410 of the 27th August 1849, the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards the proceedings of his Court in the case of Mir Ahmad Khan, sentenced to one year's imprisonment with labour in irons on a charge of swindling, *i.e.*, obtaining charity under false pretences. (O.)	Nos. 38-9.
	9th October 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case, with an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and a warrant reducing the term of Mir Ahmad Khan's imprisonment to three months without irons, and a fine of Rs. 20 in lieu of labour, thereby causing his immediate release. States that under all the circumstances the Board consider the prisoner not guilty of any offence beyond making some false representations respecting the cause of his father's being killed at Kabul, and thereby raising money, for which the punishment awarded was much too severe (D.)	
130	No. 597—226, dated 11th October 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Case of cannibalism in Amritsar.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India, for the information of the Governor-General, copies of correspondence connected with a disgusting case of cannibalism detected at Amritsar Observes that the Board are loath to believe that the crime is of more frequent occurrence in the Punjab than is generally supposed, as stated by Dr. Wilkie, but will carefully prosecute enquiry as to its correctness.	No 51.
131	No. 606, dated 13th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.	Residence for the family of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, acknowledges receipt of a Vernacular proceeding of Mr. Inglis's regarding the family of Mulraj, and states that the Board see no objection to their residing at Akálgarh, but will solicit the orders of Government with reference to the disbursement of the Rs. 270 alluded to in Mr. Inglis's proceedings. Authorizes its being charged to Government if the family have not the means of paying it. (D.)	No. 66.

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132	No. 343, dated 4th August 1849 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Particulars regarding Sham Singh, half brother of Mulraj.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division replies to the Board's letter of the 27th July 1849, requiring further information regarding Sham Singh, half brother to Mulraj. States that he is about 17 years of age, and is said to have been under restraint in the fort owing to some enmity that existed between him and his brother about the division of their father's property, but that it does not appear that he took any active part in the rebellion, and that no papers in his office show on what grounds the orders of Government, dated 21st March 1849, directed his being kept in confinement.	Progs. for the week ending 13th October '849— Nos. 67-8.
	No. 607, dated 13th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits, for the orders of the Governor-General, copies of correspondence with the Commissioner of the Multán Division respecting Sham Singh, and states that the Board consider it immaterial where he resides, being a person of no influence and possessing little energy and ability. Reports also the departure of Mulraj's family for Akálgarh, and encloses a copy of a letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division regarding them. (D.)	
133	No. 282, dated 6th September 1849... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Remission of the fine imposed upon the inhabitants of Multán.	In continuation of the Board's letter, dated the 21st July 1849, No. 259, regarding the remission of the fine which was imposed upon the inhabitants of Multán, the Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence with the Prize Agents connected with the subject. (O.)	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 610, dated 13th October 1849 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Multán Division will make enquiries regarding any real or moveable property which may belong to certain parties notorious as rebels and faithful servants of Mulraj, and carry to the credit of Government any that may be found, the Prize Fund having no claim upon such property. (D.)	
134	No. 611, dated 16th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.	Resort of bad characters to certain ruins.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, states that it has been brought to the notice of the Board that certain old ruins on the road from Shaheedganj to the Edgah, inhabited by Faqirs, are also the resort of dangerous characters who have more than once attempted to rob passengers. They accordingly direct that orders be issued to the Magistrate of Lahore to register the occupants of all such buildings round Lahore, after which, should they allow their habitations to be similarly resorted to, the occupants should be expelled and the buildings razed to the ground. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th October 1849— No. 2.

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135	18th October 1849 ... From—Major H. B. Edwardes, C.B., Deputy Commissioner, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of three of Mulraj's officers.	Major H. B. Edwardes, C.B., Deputy Commissioner forwards for the orders of the Board a letter in original received by him from the Deputy Commissioner of Multán, concerning three of Mulraj's officers under trial at that place on charges connected with the late rebellion. Expresses his opinion on the cases of these men, and recommends that one of them (Bishen Das, nephew of Rang Ram) be released. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th October 1849— Nos. 46-7.
	No. 640, dated 20th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multan Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding to the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Multán Division, and with reference to former instructions issued by the Board regarding the trial of such cases, as well as the difficulties that the Deputy Commissioner of Multán appears to experience in obtaining evidence to convict the prisoners, requests that he will furnish the Deputy Commissioner with full and complete instructions and direct the release of Bishen Das, one of the prisoners. (D.)	
136	No. 917, dated 29th September 1849 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab,	Application of the law of limitation to civil suits in the Cis-Sutlej Territories.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States acknowledges the receipt of copies of correspondence between the Board and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, respecting the application of the law of limitation to civil suits in the Cis-Sutlej territories, and suggests that a distinction be drawn between claims to land and suits for debt, as the Agency Court possessed a competent jurisdiction in the former while it did not in the latter. (O.)	Nos. 55-7.
	No. 646, dated 20th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board after a careful reconsideration of the matter adhere to their former opinion that the Agency Courts were not by any law competent courts for any civil cases arising in the territories of Chiefs possessing sovereign powers, but direct that any pending cases be decided or transferred to the Settlement Officer. The plea, however, of a petition having been presented in an Agency Court (during the last 12 years) cannot in cases of real or moveable property be construed to bar the statute of limitation. (D.)	
	No. 647, dated 20th October 1849...		A copy of the preceding is forwarded for the information of the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States. (D.)	
137	No. 2, dated 6th October 1849 ... From—Major Taylor, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Behaviour of Kishen Singh and Kanh Singh, sons of the rebel Narain Singh, during the late disturbances.	Major Taylor, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, refers to the Board's letter, dated the 26th September 1849, No. 542, and furnishes information regarding the behaviour of Kishen Singh and Kanh Singh, sons of the rebel Narain Singh, during the late disturbances. (O.)	Nos. 60-61.

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137—*concld.*	No 618½, dated 20th October 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Behaviour of Kishen Singh and Kanh Singh, sons of the rebel Narain Singh, during the late disturbances.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the consideration of the Governor-General, a copy of the preceding. Observes that on a review of the whole case it appears clear that Narain Singh, the father of Kishen Singh and Kanh Singh, did join the rebel army, but that the latter remained faithful, in consideration of which Sir F. Currie released their father's property in their favour, and states that the Board hope that His Lordship will sanction the measure. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th October 1849— Nos. 60-61.
138	No. 2010, dated 13th October 1849 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Civil suits in the Simla District.	In reply to the Board's letter No 199, dated the 25th September 1849, the Under-Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General concurring in the view of the Board that the district of Simla should be under their control as regards civil suits, as it is in all other matters, has recommended to the President in Council the repeal of Act XV of 1836 whereby it was placed under the Saddar Court at Agra.	Nos. 62-3.
	No. 649, dated 20th October 1849 ..		Copies forwarded to the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, and to the Superintendent of Hill States.	
139	No. 1061, dated 23rd June 1849 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Pleaders in civil courts.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 5, dated the 12th June 1849, the Secretary to the Government of India communicates the Governor-General's approval of the views of the Board in regard to the appointment of Pleaders in civil courts. (O)	Nos. 66-7.
	No. 651, dated 20th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, to former correspondence and annexes copies of the Board's letter to Government and their reply regarding the appointment of Vakils or Pleaders. Directs that full force be given to section IV of the new rules of Civil Procedure and the parties to a suit encouraged to plead themselves. Remarks also upon the paucity of licensed pleaders in his division. (D.)	
140	No. 63, dated 20th October 1849 ... From—Dr J. S. Login, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Carrying of arms by attendants of Maharaja Dalip Singh.	As directed in the Board's letter No. 624G., dated the 17th October 1849, Dr. J. S. Login submits a list of persons in attendance on Maharaja Dalip Singh whom he would recommend for licenses to carry arms. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th October 1849— Nos. 10-12.
	No. 665, dated 22nd October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. J. S. Login.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to licenses being granted to the parties named by him on plain paper, and mentions that instructions to this effect will be sent to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. (D.)	

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140—*concld.*	No. 666, dated 22nd October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Carrying of arms by attendants of Maharaja Dalip Singh.	A copy of the preceding is forwarded for information and guidance of the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th October 1849— Nos. 10-12.
141	No. 168, dated 8th September 1849 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Procedure in cases of applications by husbands for restoration of wives. Punishment for adultery.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards for the orders of the Board copies of correspondence with the Assistant Commissioner of Ráwalpindi raising the question as to the course which a Magistrate should adopt, when a man, who has been deserted by his wife, applies for her compulsory restoration. Observes that according to his opinion the Assistant Commissioner should be directed to act up to the existing law in the North-Western Provinces and refuse an application for delivery of the wife to the custody of her husband. (O.)	Progs for the week ending 3rd November 1849— Nos. 22-3.
	Circular No. 691, dated 3rd November 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Punjab and Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára.		Adverting to the case referred to by the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners that the Board have reviewed the law appplicable to adultery in the Bengal Presidency, whereby a husband may prosecute his wife and her paramour for that crime, and they if convicted are liable to imprisonment for 9 years with hard labour. The Board are of opinion that in the Punjab this law should be rigidly enforced; and further that latitude should be allowed to the Magistrate in regard to his taking cognizance of cases of adultery, the object being to prevent the consequences of such crimes among a rude people. (D.)	
142	No. 2132, dated 27th October 1849 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of cannibalism at Amritsar.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges the receipt of the Board's letter, dated the 11th October 1849, No. 226, respecting a case of cannibalism States the Governor-General considers that the creature guilty of it must be either mad or a monster, and in either case directs that he be shut up for life. (D.)	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 694, dated 3rd November 1849		A copy of the preceding is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for his information.	
143	No 291, dated 29th October 1849... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Residence of Sham Singh, brother of Mulraj.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 13th October 1849, No. 233, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General concurs in the opinion that Sham Singh, the brother of Mulraj, may be allowed to reside where he pleases. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th November 1849— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 699, dated 5th November 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded for the information and guidance of the Commissioner of the Multán Division. (D.)	

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144	No. 95, dated 6th June 1849 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of military offenders.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States referring to the Board's letter of the 7th April 1849, No. 12, addressed to the Commissioner of that division, forwards for their information a copy of certain instructions issued by him to the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur in regard to the manner in which military offenders, brought before the civil power ought to be dealt with ; these instructions being founded on the principle that, in order to ensure cordial co-operation between the Civil and Military authorities, all cases in which soldiers are concerned, should in the first instance be referred invariably to the Military. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th November 1849—Nos. 11-14.
	No. 701, dated 6th November 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States that while the Board appreciate the spirit of concilitation which has dictated his instructions, they do not entirely agree as to its being the most judicious. Observes that by the Articles of War for native troops the Military authorities are bound to refer to the Civil all cases in which officers or soldiers are accused of crimes punishable by such Civil judicature, and points out the hardship that would be entailed on the aggrieved party were the matter of complaint referred to the Commanding Officer. States that the Board also strongly object to that portion of the Commissioner's instructions which inculcates a system of non-resistance on the part of villagers towards soldiers as they consider it to be the only safeguard they have against illegal demands of either soldier or Policeman, and, without laying down a fixed rule, explains the view taken by the Board of the question generally. Requests that he will accordingly either withdraw the instructions issued by him or so modify them that they may accord with the sentiments expressed by the Board. (D.)	
145	No. 102, dated 29th October 1849 ... From—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of pleaders in the courts of the Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 20th October 1849, No. 651, the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, states that he has communicated to the District Officers of his Division the wishes of the Board that a larger number of pleaders be appointed to their courts and litigants encouraged to plead themselves; and in regard to the monopoly said to exist in his court, explains why there are only two pleaders attached to it. Requests also that a copy of his letter be forwarded to Government. (O.)	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 704, dated 7th November 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		As requested by the Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding for the information of the Governor-General. (D.)	

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146	No. 213, dated 5th November 1849 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of cannibalism at Amritsar.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of a correspondence between the Deputy Commissioner and the Civil Surgeon at Amritsar, and observes that from the enquiries that have been instituted it may be considered that cannibalism has not been proved to exist in the Punjab, as stated by the Civil Surgeon in a former communication. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 10th November 1849—Nos. 33-7.
	No. 709—306, dated 10th November 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General, in continuation of letter No. 226, dated the 11th October 1849. (D.)	
147	Circular No. 716, dated 12th November 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Trial of subjects of Independent Chiefs committing crimes in British territory.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the guidance of the Commissioners in the Punjab, Vernacular translation of extracts from a despatch of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, dated the 1st September 1841, containing rules regarding the trial of criminals residing within the jurisdiction of Independent Chiefs and committing crimes within the British territories and *vice versâ*. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th November 1849—No. 7.
148	No. 226, dated 19th November 1849. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prevalence of ophthalmia among prisoners in the jails of Lahore, Amritsar and Wazírabad.	In reply to the second paragraph of the Board's letter, dated the 11th September 1849, No. 476, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards reports from the Civil Surgeons of Lahore, Amritsar and Wazírabad, on the causes of the prevalence of ophthalmia among prisoners in the jails under their charge; and observes that there is no reason to believe that blindness is wilfully caused by the men. No order.	Progs. for the week ending 1st December 1849—Nos. 1-4.
149	No. 2439, dated 21st November 1849. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cannibalism in the Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 306, dated the 10th November 1849, with enclosures, on the subject of cannibalism in the Punjab, the Secretary to the Government of India states that Dr. Wilkie should be informed that, prior to making official assertions of the nature now before the Governor-General, he should be prepared to substantiate them. (O.)	Nos. 5-6.
	No. 753, dated 26th November 1849.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for the information of Dr. Wilkie. (D.)	
150	No. 770, dated 4th December 1849 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Reward for the seizure of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Secretary to the Government of India that it being known to the Governor-General that Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh is still at large and active in stirring up disaffection the Board request His Lordship's sanction to the offer of a reward of Rs. 10,000 for his seizure or Rs. 5,000 for information leading thereto. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th December 1849—No. 11.

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151	No. 772, dated 6th December 1849... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All authorities under the Board.	Management of jails in the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all authorities under the Board copies of Mr. Woodcock's circular No. 5, dated the 1st July 1847, regarding the management of jails which the Board think will afford some valuable hints for improving the internal economy of the jails in their divisions. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th December 1849—No. 15.
152	No. 308, dated 12th December 1849. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rewards proposed for the apprehension of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 348 of the 6th December 1849, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General approves of the rewards proposed to be offered for the apprehension of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh or for information leading thereto, and suggests that the proclamation be made simultaneously in all parts of the district. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th December 1849—Nos. 51-2.
	No. 780, dated 14th December 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board, the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára and the Superintendent of Hill States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners under the Board, the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára and the Superintendent of Hill States, copies of a proclamation offering a reward of Rs. 10,000 and Rs. 5,000, the former for the capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and the latter for information leading thereto, and requests that he will circulate them to his District Officers, with explicit instructions, that the rewards should be simultaneously announced on the 26th December 1849. (D.)	
153	No. 805, dated 21st December 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Petition presented by Faujdar Khan, Bahadur, in behalf of the Multâni Pathans.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards for submission to the Governor-General a translation of a petition presented by Faujdar Khan, Bahadur, on behalf of the Multâni Pathans, praying that their claims to the landlord's share in certain lands, chiefly in the Multân District, may be adjudicated. Mentions the grounds upon which these men have advanced their claims to be heard though they have been out of possession nearly 32 years, and gives the Board's reasons for soliciting His Lordship's sanction to try these cases. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd December 1849—Nos. 49-50.
154	No. 224, dated 17th December 1849. From—The Deputy Commissioner, of Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Punishment of an officer's servant for pimping.	The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar forwards, for the information of the Board, a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Brigadier Commanding at Peshâwar, respecting the punishment awarded to an officer's servant who was convicted of pimping for his master and taking to him the wife of an Afghan soldier, and mentioning the penalties that officers will themselves incur in cases of adultery.	Progs. for the week ending 29th December 1849—Nos. 12-13.

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154—*concld.*	No. 812, dated 28th December 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.	Punishment of an officer's servant for pimping.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration points out that the Board's instructions (conveyed in their circular of the 3rd November 1849, No. 691), as to the manner in which cases of adultery are to be dealt with, will not apply to parties possessing the rights of European British subjects. Requests that he will therefore withdraw the 5th paragraph of his letter to the Brigadier taking other measures in communication with the Military authorities for deterring officers from intrigues so dangerous in their consequences. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th December 1849—Nos. 12-13.
155	No. 111, dated 15th November 1849. From—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of one Dina, aged 15 years.	The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings on the trial of Dina, aged 15 years,—charge, murder of a boy aged 7 years for the sake of his ornaments. Remarks that the prisoner's guilt is fully proved, and that his conduct in court was that of a hardened and determined criminal, but in consideration of his youth recommends that he be sentenced to transportation beyond seas for life, with labour in irons. (O.)	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 818, dated 29th December 1849. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers received with the preceding, and forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer capital punishment instead of transportation as recommended, the prisoner's admission that he is 15 years of age, coupled with his conduct in court and previous attempt to break jail, and the peculiar atrocity of the case being sufficient to do away with the considerations under which he is recommended a mitigated sentence. (D.)	

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156	No. 243, dated 26th December 1849 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Swords with Kabul merchants.	In reply to Board's letter No. 788, dated the 18th December 1849, the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar intimates that only 8 or 10 swords have been allowed to pass with Kabul merchants into the Punjab, but that in future the practice will be strictly discouraged. (O.) No order.	Progs. for the week ending 5th January 1850— No. 7.
157	No. 302, dated 16th November 1849. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Wilful murder of Kullundur Shah and Mussammat Zynab by Ditta, Bakur and Viddhun.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings with English abstract thereof in the case of Government, Prosecutor *versus* Ditta, Bakur and Viddhun,—charge, wilful murder of Kullundur Shah and Mussammat Zynab. Observes that the crime of wilful murder is proved against the prisoner Ditta by his confession and the circumstances of the case, and the crime of being an accessory before the fact to the murder of both the murdered persons established against the second prisoner Bakur, he having joined in assailing the deceased Kullundur Shah with a club and afterwards borrowed a sword from Viddhun, which is proved to be the weapon used by Ditta. Recommends that Ditta be hung and Bakur sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment, and mentions that Viddhun has been released. (O.)	Nos. 9-11.
	No. 4, dated 2nd January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers received with the preceding letter, and states that the Board see no reason for separating the two prisoners Ditta and Bakur in respect to malice and criminality, and therefore sentence them both to suffer capital punishment. Forwards warrants to this effect and authorizes the payment of rewards of Rs. 25 to each of the two villagers who interfered and remonstrated with the prisoners prior to the murder of Kullunder Shah and Mussammat Zynab. (D.)	
158	No. 300, dated 31st December 1849 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh with 21 of his followers.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of letters from and to Mr. Vansittart, the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, respecting the capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh with 21 of his followers and the arrangements made for his safe custody. (O.)	Nos. 16-20.
	No. 7, dated 3rd January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States that the measures taken for the safety of the Guru and his followers have the Board's approval, and requests that the Guru himself be immediately put in irons, and that the Board be informed whether he has been identified. (D.)	

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159	21st December 1849 ... From—Mr. W. McBarnet, Kálka, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appeals of Mr. W. McBarnet against a decision and decree granted by the Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Kálka.	Mr. W. McBarnet, Kálka, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration appeals against a decision of, and decree granted by, Lieutenant Jackson, the Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Kálka, requiring him to pay Rs. 27 on account of Bazar Chaukidari for certain shops belonging to him and said to stand in the Bazar, though on the confines of his own estate. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th January 1850— Nos. 26-7.
	No. 10, dated 4th January 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards Mr. McBarnet's petition to the Superintendent of Hill States, and requests that he will call upon Lieutenant Jackson for a report on the case, and submit the same to the Board, returning at the same time the original papers now sent. (D.)	
160	No. 1, dated 2nd January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Imprisonment of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	In continuation of letter No. 300, dated the 31st December 1849, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the removal of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh and one of his followers from the Jullundur Jail to Cantonments was considered expedient, and that they have accordingly been removed and placed under a guard of Europeans. Mentions that there is no doubt of the Guru's identity, and that Mr. Vansittart is in possession of further information connected with his adherents who are still at large, and also of 22 camel-loads of property belonging to him stated to be under Jummoo. (O.)	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 13—4, dated 5th January 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India copies of Mr. McLeod's report with enclosures and the Board's reply; requests the early orders of the Governor-General as to the punishment of the Guru, and recommends that he be dealt with summarily as a rebel in arms and be sent at once beyond seas to avoid the excitement of a trial and risk of bringing him to Lahore. (D.)	
161	No. 2, dated 3rd January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Removal from the Jullundur Jail to Cantonments of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	In continuation of letter No. 1, dated the 2nd January 1850, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of correspondence with the Brigade Major and Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, and Captain Turner, 2nd-in-Command, 1st Sikh Light Infantry, respecting the removal from the Jullundur Jail to the Cantonments of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and the distrust avowed by the two latter officers in regard to the fidelity of the Jail Guard and the men of the Sikh Corps. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th January 1850— Nos 3-7.

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161—*concld.*	No. 6, dated 5th January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Removal from the Jullundur Jail to Cantonments of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 7, dated the 3rd January 1850, calling for information as to the identity of the Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and directing that every precaution be taken for his safe custody. Observes that there is no doubt of the Guru's identity as already communicated, and that Mr. Vansittart is in possession of further information respecting the plans and intentions of the Guru and his followers prior to their capture (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th January 1850—Nos. 3-7.
	No. 16, dated 9th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that, under the circumstances mentioned in letter No. 2, the Board agree that the removal of the Guru to Cantonments was a judicious measure, but that they cannot think Captain Turner was discreet in evincing his distrust of his own Corps. Mentions that these despatches have been communicated to Government, and the Board's opinion given of the important service rendered by Mr. Vansittart. (D.)	
	No. 17, dated 9th January 1850 ...		A copy of the preceding letter, together with copies of the letters to which it replies, are forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General. (D)	
162	No. 276, dated 10th December 1849. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Murad Khan, and three others, charge, murder of Munsubdar Khan, Naick.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings, with an English Abstract, in the case of Government *versus* Murad Khan, and three others, charge, murder of Munsubdar Khan, Naick, of the 37th Regiment, Native Infantry. Annexes in original a letter from the Cantonment Joint Magistrate with enclosures which include his proceedings and that of a Military Court of Inquest held upon the body of the deceased. Mentions the difficulties that the Cantonment Joint Magistrate had to contend with in prosecuting his enquiries in this case and obtaining circumstantial evidence owing to the prisoners having escaped into the lines of their regiment and their pursuers having been prevented from following them, but observes that the evidence of the witnesses tallies on all the main points sufficiently to convict the prisoners, and accordingly recommends that they be respectively sentenced to 21, 14 and 7 years' imprisonment. (O.)	Nos. 5-18.
	No. 18, dated 9th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers received with the preceding letter, together with an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer the punishment recommended. (D)	

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162—*concld.*	No. 281, dated 12th December 1849. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Murad Khan, and three others, charge, murder of Munsubdar Khan, Naick.	In continuation of the above, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards copies of further correspondence with the Cantonment Joint Magistrate regardiug the murder therein reported. The Commissioner points out that, although the crime was committed in broad daylight and the perpetrators of it pursued by men who were near the spot at the time, the ends of justice were nearly defeated by the opposition offered to the pursuers on the criminals reaching the Lines of the 7th Cavalry, in one instance by some syces, and in the other by a party of sowars. Observes that these opposing parties have not been brought to account, and that the difficulties which have been experienced at every stage of the Cantonment Joint Magistrate's investigation are attributable to the want of sufficient aid and co-operation from Major Phillips, the Commandant of the 7th Light Cavalry. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 12th January 1850—Nos. 8-18.
	No. 20, dated 9th February 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, a copy of a letter addressed to Brigadier Wheeler asking him to follow up the enquiry already made in regard to the murder by taking notice of the facts now reported; and requests that he will give Rs. 50 to each of the three villagers who pursued the perpetrators of the murder as a reward. (D.)	
	No. 19, dated 10th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Brigadier Commanding at Jullundur.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the foregoing correspondence to the Brigadier Commanding at Jullundur, and adverting to the active desire already shewn by him to aid the Cantonment Joint Magistrate in the investigation made by him into the case therein referred to requests that he will take such further notice of the facts now reported by the Commissioner as may be deemed proper. Observes that the Board cannot refrain from noticing the supineness displayed by the European Military authorities of the 7th Cavalry as explained by the Commissioner and shewn by the proceedings. (D.)	
163	No. 2800, dated 31st December 1849 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claims of the Multani Pathans.	In reply to Board's letter No. 372, dated the 21st December 1849, forwarding a translation of a petition from Faujdar Khan, Bahadur, on behalf of the Multani Pathans, the Secretary to the Government of India requests that the report of some local officer may be obtained upon the claims advanced by these men. (D.)	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 23½, dated 10th January 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Multán Division, as also a translation of the petition therein alluded to, and requests that he will furnish the report required by Government. (D.)	

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164	No. 2733, dated 27th December 1849 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Administration of criminal justice within the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges the receipt of the Board's letter No. 358, dated the 3rd December 1849, with reports from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States and Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, on the administration of criminal justice within those territories for 1848. States that the Governor-General has read these papers with great interest, and proposes to bring the subjects therein noticed personally under the consideration of the Council during his approaching visit to Calcutta. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th January 1850— Nos. 24-5.
	No. 24, dated 10th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans Sutlej States, a copy of a letter addressed by the Board to the Government of India on the occasion of submitting their reports on the administration of criminal justice, together with copy of the reply received from the Secretary to the Government of India. (D.)	
165	Circular No. 25, dated 10th January 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners in the Punjab and the Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar.	Arms confiscated since the annexation of the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing all Commissioners in the Punjab and the Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar requests that they will inform the Board of the quantity of arms which have been taken from the people in their respective divisions since the annexation of the Punjab, and what has been done with the arms so taken; also how far the disarming of the people has been effectively carried out, and the number of persons punished for being found in possession of arms without license. (D.)	No. 26.
166	3rd January 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Sale of land in virtue of a decree of court against the proprietor.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests information as to whether he has power to sell land in virtue of a decree of court against the proprietor, or whether the matter must first be submitted for the orders of the Board. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th January 1850— Nos. 46-7.
	No. 44, dated 18th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar that the circumstances of the Pesháwar District seem to require that he should exercise such authority without reference to the Board. (D.)	
167	No. 2, dated 8th January 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case involving breach of marriage contract.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar refers to the Board's circular, dated the 3rd November 1849, regarding cases of adultery, and requests the Board's orders on a case involving breach of marriage contract. Observes that this contract was entered into by the father of the girl, who is now dead. (O.)	Nos. 52-3.

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167—*concld.*	No. 46, dated 19th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.	Case involving breach of marriage contract.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the breach of marriage contract alluded to is not a criminal offence but a civil wrong for which the sufferer may seek compensation according to the law and custom of the community to which the parties belong. Observes that if in the case noticed the mother and daughter inherit from the deceased father any property, damages may fairly be adjudged; if not, they cannot be subjected to payment of damages, unless after the decease of the father the daughter and her mother themselves became principals in the contract by some express admission and promise. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th January 1850— Nos. 52-3.
168	No. 8, dated 13th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh by Mr. Vansittart.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 4, dated the 5th January 1850, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General has learnt with the greatest satisfaction of the capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh by Mr. Vansittart, and requests that the expression of his best thanks may be conveyed to that officer for the service which he has thus rendered to his Government. Observes that His Lordship would himself have desired that so bold a traitor should at once undergo a trial, and if convicted suffer the extreme penalty of the law, but, under the circumstances represented by the local authorities at Jullundur, sanctions the Guru's immediate removal to Allahabad and thence to Calcutta accompanied by his disciple, to effect which instructions have been furnished to the Military authorities. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th January 1850— Nos. 13-14.
	No. 53, dated 23rd January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, and requests that he will carry out the orders of the Governor-General contained therein, arranging in communication with Brigadier Wheeler for the removal of the Guru, and, in the event of any difficulty arising in executing the instructions directs that he will communicate with the Board by express. (O.)	
169	No. 273, dated 31st December 1849 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of Mussammat Rajan,—charge, wilful murder of her own daughter.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration proceedings connected with the trial of Mussummat Rajan,—charge, wilful murder of her own daughter. States that from the evidence in this case it appears that the defendant had a dispute with her brother-in-law, who having turned her out of his house she went to another village, distant 5 coss, where she threw one of her children into a well, and on being questioned at the Thana confessed the crime, pleading hunger and rage as her incentives. Recommends that the prisoner be imprisoned for life. (O.)	Nos. 17-18.

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169—*concld.*	No. 55, dated 23rd January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Trial of Mussammat Rajan—charge wilful murder of her own daughter.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case and forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing Mussammat Rajan to imprisonment for life in banishment on the Continent of India. (D)	Progs. for the week ending 26th January 1850— Nos. 17-18.
170	No. 30, dated 2nd January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed construction of a large jail at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter, dated the 21st December 1849, No. 370, submitting plans and estimates for the construction of a large jail at Lahore. States that the Governor-General approves of the proposal, and in sanctioning it thinks it will be expedient to proceed at once with those portions which Colonel Napier proposes. Authorizes an advance of 50,000 rupees for this purpose, and requests submission of a detailed estimate and plans for the entire building which, as well as all future estimates, &c., prepared by the Civil Engineer, will be submitted to the Military Board. (O.)	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 70, dated 26th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		Copies of the preceding letter are forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division and the Civil Engineer of the Punjab for their information and guidance. (D.)	
171	Circular No. 75, dated 26th January 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board and the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára.	Submission of returns showing the number of prisoners escaped since the annexation of the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing all Commissioners under the Board and the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára, calls for returns from each division showing the number of prisoners who have made their escape since the annexation of the Punjab, and annexes a form showing the manner in which these returns should be prepared. (D.)	
172	No. 76, dated 28th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners in the Punjab and the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.	Concealment of arms.	In continuation of Circular No. 1, dated the 10th January 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioners in the Punjab and the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States that if, as the Board apprehend, the concealment of arms has been extensively resorted to, they should at once adopt measures for searching for, and seizing them, causing the search to be instituted under the eye or guidance of European officers. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1850— No. 3.
173	No. 19, dated 26th January 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Dínánaggar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Attack on Mr. Blyth, Deputy Collector.	The Deputy Commissioner of Dínánaggar, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, reports the occurrence of a dacoity at the village of Tibbur, perpetrated by 8 or 10 men upon the person and property of Mr. Deputy Collector Blyth, in which that officer himself was wounded, with 8 of his attendants, and his orderly chaprasi killed. States that this attack was	Nos. 7-9.

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173—*concld.*		Attack on Mr. Blyth, Deputy Collector.	made in Mr. Blyth's Kutchery tent to which he had returned after settling a dispute respecting some land between 2 villages, and which has led that officer to suspect the zamindars of the village against whom his decision was given. Observes that had the horsemen in attendance upon Mr. Blyth displayed the least activity some of the assassins must have been captured, and requests that the Board will confirm the rewards of 200 rupees offered by him for the discovery of each offender. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1850—Nos. 7-9.
	No. 78, dated 30th January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Dínánaggar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Deputy Commissioner of Dínánaggar that, so far as the information before the Board extends, they cannot regard the case as a simple crime against person and property, and therefore expect that he will follow up most vigorously his enquiry into the case in order that the offenders may be brought to prompt and exemplary punishment. Informs him of the orders issued for strengthening his Police; sanctions the rewards for the apprehension of the offenders, and states that the Board will be prepared to pass any moderate amount of secret service expenditure. Furnishes detailed instructions as to the manner in which the Board desire the offenders to be brought to trial when apprehended, and directs the arming of every man attached to the establishments of Europeans officers, &c. (D)	
	Circular No 79, dated 30th January 1850.		Copy of the foregoing letter is circulated to the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar and the Assistant Commissioner of Kasúr for their guidance in respect to enforcing the responsibilities of village communities in similar cases. (D.)	
174	No. 59, dated 17th January 1850 ... From—Brigadier Wheeler, C.B., Commanding Jullundur Field Force, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder committed at Jullundur by certain trooper of the 7th Light Cavalry.	Brigadier Wheeler, C.B., Commanding the Jullundur Field Force, acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter of the 10th January 1850, No. 19, regarding a murder committed at Jullundur by certain trooper of the 7th Light Cavalry. States that though he entertains no doubt in his own mind that the perpetrators of the murder were known to the whole regiment, and that they would have been discovered had prompt and earnest exertions been made by the Officer Commanding that Corps, yet it is not in his power to take any further notice of the matter owing to the removal of the Corps to Peshawar. (O.)	Nos. 10-11.
	No. 80, dated 31st January 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for such further notice as the Governor-General may deem necessary, a copy of the preceding letter, together with copies of former correspondence regarding the murder therein	

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174—*concld.*			alluded to, and, with reference to Brigadier Wheeler's remarks, states that certain of the murderers were discovered and have been brought to trial and convicted, but the investigation was unsatisfactory and incomplete and the ends of justice nearly defeated (as shewn by Mr. McLeod's letters) owing to the opposition offered in the Lines of the 7th Cavalry, and the supineness of Regimental authority. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1850—Nos. 10-11.
175	No. 13, dated 23rd January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claims of Multani Pathans.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 23½, dated the 10th January 1850, the Commissioner of the Multán Division states that the main facts set forth in the petition of Faujdar Khan, Pathan, are correct, but that he considers it impolitic to give his claims and that of the other Multáni Pathans a hearing. (O)	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 82, dated 1st February 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General. (D.)	
176	Circular No. 85, dated 1st February 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Arming of all Judicial, Jail and Revenue establishments.	With reference to the attack recently made upon Mr. Blyth by a body of armed men, in which one of his attendants was killed, and several others wounded owing to their being unarmed while the perpetrators of the attack escaped unpunished, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the orders of the Board already given for the arming of all Judicial, Jail and Revenue establishments be completely carried out. Furnishes detailed instructions as to the manner in which this should now be done, and authorizes the grant of licenses on plain paper to all officers who may wish to arm their servants. (O.)	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 85½, dated 1st February 1850 ...		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to Colonel Napier, Chief Engineer, for his information.	
177	Circular No. 90, dated 4th February 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Discontinuance of use of stocks.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests all Commissioners will prohibit the use of stocks within their respective divisions, and directs the substitution of irons and hand-cuffs, or chains where additional security is required. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1850—
178	No. 24, dated 26th January 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of British subjects charged with the commission of crimes in foreign territory.	The Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, enquiring (with reference to Circular No. 56, dated the 7th May 1849, whether the Board intend that British subjects charged with the commission of crimes in foreign territory should be brought to trial without the sanction of the Board being previously obtained or whether Act I of 1849 is to be	Nos. 9-11.

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178—*concld.*		Trial of British subjects charged with the commission of crimes in foreign territory.	considered applicable to the Cis-Sutlej States. Remarks that the former course would save much time and trouble. Therefore recommends its adoption. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1850— Nos. 9-11.
	No. 91, dated 5th February 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board desire that Act I of 1849 shall be regarded as applicable to the Cis-Sutlej Divisions, though they agree that were the necessity of previous application to the Board on the part of local courts dispensed with much trouble would be saved. States that the Board will take an early opportunity of referring the point to Government. (D.)	
179	No. 32, dated 3rd February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Attack made upon Mr. Blyth, Deputy Collector.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter received by him from the Deputy Commissioner of Dinanaggar regarding an attack made upon Mr. Blyth, also a copy of his reply in which he has authorized the offer of a reward of 500 rupees for the principals and 200 rupees for all others who took part in the dacoity. Requests that the Board will sanction these rewards, and direct that 50 horsemen be sent to the Dínánaggar District in addition to the 50 already ordered there. (O.)	Nos. 14-17.
	No. 92, dated 5th February 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the offer of the rewards proposed, and, with respect to his requisition for more sowars, states that as soon as they are available 50 more will be supplied temporarily for the protection of the Batála District. (D.)	
180	No. 128, dated 5th December 1849.. From—The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disposal of prisoners sentenced to terms of imprisonment for 7 years and upwards.	The Sessions Judge, Cis-Sutlej States, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a statement of prisoners sentenced to terms of imprisonment for 7 years and upwards, and recommends that they be transferred to some jails in the North-Western Provinces. (O.)	Nos. 18-21.
	No. 93—4, dated 5th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States that the Lieutenant-Governor has given his authority for the removal to the Agra Jail of all the prisoners now in the jails of their respective divisions under sentence of banishment. Directs that they will have them removed accordingly, together with any dangerous characters whom it may be desirable to get rid of, forwarding the necessary descriptive rolls and warrants, and informing the Board of the number of prisoners removed. Suggests their taking advantage of the guard about to escort prisoners from Lahore to Agra under similar instructions. (D.)	

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181	No. 372 A., dated 17th December 1849. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Nazzar Shah, prosecutor, *versus* Raja Shah and 2 others.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings with an English abstract in the case of Nazzar Shah, prosecutor, *versus* Raja Shah and 2 others,—charge, murder of the prosecutor's brothers and of Mussammat Niamat, wife of defendant No. 1. States that the crime is fully proved against Raja Shah by the evidence of witnesses and his own confession to the effect that he put the parties to death, having detected them in the act of adultery. Recommends therefore that he suffer the mitigated punishment of imprisonment for life Mentions the release of the 2 other prisoners. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1850— Nos. 26-8.
	No. 96, dated 6th February 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers in the case, together with an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment as recommended. (D.)	
182	No. 5, dated 4th January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Murad Khatun, prosecutor, *versus* Allah Ditta, defendant,—charge, murder of his own wife.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings with an English abstract in the case of Murad Khatun, prosecutor, *versus* Allah Ditta, son of Fazal, defendant,—charge, murder of his own wife, whom he suspected of being unfaithful to him. States that the prisoner pleads guilty, alleging jealousy as the cause of his having committed the crime. Recommends therefore that he suffer imprisonment for life. (O.)	Nos. 29-31.
	No. 97, dated 6th February 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers received with the preceding letter, and forwards for the guidance of the Commissioner of the Multán Division an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to imprisonment for life with labour in irons in banishment on the Continent of India. (D.)	
183	No. 32, dated 21st January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Wilful murder of a boy aged 10 years.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings, with an English abstract, in the case of Government plaintiff *versus* Balmukand and Bulloo,—charge, wilful murder of Parab Dial, a boy aged 10 years. States that the crime of wilful murder is fully proved against the prisoners who are both boys between 13 and 14 years old, and recommends that they be sentenced to suffer imprisonment for life in transportation, instead of death, in consideration of their youth. (O.)	Nos. 43-4.

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183—*concld.*	No. 100, dated 7th February 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board ofA dministration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Wilful murder of a boy aged 10 years.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular papers received with the preceding letter and forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer death, it being desirable to check the frequency of crimes of so horrible a character by the most exemplary punishment. States that the Board cannot consider the youth of the prisoners to be an adequate ground for remitting capital punishment. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1850— Nos. 43-4.
184	1st February 1850 ... From—The Superintendent, Cantonment Police, Agra, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Half-yearly account of the Bazar Fund of the Jullundur Cantonment.	The Superintendent, Cantonment Police, Agra, submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the half-yearly cash account of the Bazar Fund of the Jullundur Cantonment shewing that the disbursements exceed the income; notices a monthly expenditure of Rs. 13 on account of a mali and 2 bhisthis maintained for the purpose of looking after trees planted by the roadsides. Observes that this is not a legitimate charge on the assessment of the inhabitants for police purposes, and recommends that all criminal fines be carried to the Bazar Fund. (O.)	Nos. 56-8.
	No. 107, dated 9th February 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards the foregoing letter and enclosure in original, and enquires whether prisoners could not be furnished to the Cantonment Joint Magistrate at Jullundur for watering trees, &c. Observes that various considerations prevent the Board from complying with the suggestion that criminal fines should be appropriated to local improvements. (D.)	
185	No. 29, dated 4th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Imprisonment of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh and his disciple Khurruck Singh.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 53, dated the 23rd January 1850, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards a copy of a letter from Brigadier Wheeler reporting the despatch from Jullundur on the 30th idem of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh and his disciple Khurruck Singh. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th February 1850— Nos. 4-6.
	No. 112, dated 11th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Secretary to the Government of India reports the despatch of the Guru, and requests that warrants, as prescribed in Regulation III of 1818, be issued for the commitment of the Guru and his disciple. (D.)	
186	No 113, dated 12th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Services of a Ressaldar and 2 sowars of the 4th Punjab Cavalry leading to the seizure of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration brings to the favourable notice of the Governor General the good conduct of a Ressaldar and two sowars of the 4th Punjab Cavalry in having reported to their Commanding Officer the overtures that had been made to them by certain Sikhs in the name of the rebel Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and which has led to their siezure and punishment. Recommends that a reward of Rs 1,000 be given to the former and Rs. 200 to each of the latter. (D.)	No. 7.

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187	No. 115, dated 12th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Punishment of associates of Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division an English abstract of the Board's proceedings in the case of Bhup Singh and others charged with being associates of Bhai Maharaj Singh, a proclaimed rebel, and of tampering with British troops, together with warrants sentencing them respectively to imprisonment for 7 years and 3 years with and without banishment. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th February 1850—No. 8.
188	No. 118, dated 14th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.	Claim of the Multáni Pathans to the landlord's share in certain land in Multán.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information and guidance of the Commissioner of the Multán Division, a copy of a Vernacular proceeding by Mr. John Lawrence forwarding for record in his office copies of certain Vernacular documents filed by Faujdar Khan, Bahadur, in connection with the claim of the Multáni Pathans to the landlord's share in certain land in Multán. (D.)	No. 29.
189	No. 10 A., dated 16th January 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of rebellious garrison of Harrand.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the Vernacular proceedings connected with the trial of 50 prisoners charged with rebellion in having refused to evacuate the Fort of Harrand, and having opposed the troops of the Lahore Darbar when sent against it. Observes that of the 50 prisoners 39 are old servants of Sawan Mall and Mulraj, and that the remaining 11 were entertained after his rebellion. Recommends that the former be sentenced to two years' and the latter to three years' imprisonment with labour in irons. (O.)	Nos. 33-5.
	No. 120, dated 14th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board observe that most of the prisoners are old retainers of Mulraj; none of them of any note or influence, and the whole soldiers by profession who fought either from attachment to their master or for subsistence without any political motive or hostile feelings towards the British Government. Directs therefore that all such as can furnish security for future good conduct be released, and those failing to do so, suffer imprisonment for a further period of six months. (D.)	
190	No. 13, dated 18th January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mohkum Chand, Killadar of Harrand and 11 others, charged with rebellion.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the Vernacular proceedings, with an English abstract, in the case of Mohkum Chand, Killadar, and 11 others, charged with rebellion in refusing to give up the fort of Harrand. Recommends that Mohkum Chand be sentenced to imprisonment for life with hard labour and in irons and the remaining 11 as follows:—Two to 5 years' imprisonment, one to 3 years' and eight to 2 years' each. (O.)	Nos. 45-7.

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190—*concld.*	No. 125, dated 15th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Case of Mohkum Chand, Killadar, of Harrand, and 11 others, charged with rebellion.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board have confirmed the sentence passed upon Mohkum Chand and also the sentence passed upon two other men of imprisonment for five years. In regard to the remainder of the prisoners directs their release on security, for the reasons assigned in letter of the 14th February 1850, No. 120. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th February 1850—Nos. 45-7.
191	No. 28, dated 4th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States refers to the Board's letter of the 9th January 1850, No. 16, and forwards copies of two letters from Mr. Vansittart, the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, expressing himself hurt at the censure conveyed in that letter in regard to his proceedings subsequent to the capture of the Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and requesting that a copy of his letter be forwarded to the Governor-General. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd February 1850—Nos. 22-9.
	No. 12, dated 5th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter addressed to him by the Brigadier Commanding the Jullundur Field Force, requesting that District Officers should communicate with him whenever they might have cause to apprehend that the people of the country were otherwise than peaceably disposed, together with a copy of a letter written by the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, in compliance with the Brigadier's wishes, respecting the apparently hostile feelings entertained by the Sikh and Jat population towards the British Government in connection with the recent seizure of the Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh. Observes that the information contained in the latter does not seem to constitute any special emergency for adopting unusual measures of security. (O.)	
	No. 31, dated 4th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, in original, a Persian letter, dated the 12th October 1849 (with translation in English), supposed to have been addressed to the Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh by Dost Muhammad Khan of Kabul and found by Mr. Vansittart deposited in the house of one of the Guru's retainers.	
	No. 128, dated 18th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In continuation of his letter No. 16, dated the 9th January 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Governor-General, copies of the three foregoing letters and their enclosures, with the Board's observations thereon. (D.)	

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192	No. 38, dated 12th February 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reward for the arrest of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States solicits the Board's sanction to the disbursement of the reward of 10,000 rupees offered for the arrest of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd February 1850—Nos. 36-7.
	No. 129, dated 18th February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration authorizes the payment of 5,000 rupees to the informer and the distribution of the remaining 5,000 amongst the persons engaged in the apprehension of the Guru. (D)	
193	Circular No. 137, dated 19th February 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Surrender of arms in the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs all Commissioners in the Punjab that the Board have reason to believe that many persons who have arms in their possession would gladly give them up could they be assured of exemption from punishment for having withheld them so long. Requests that proclamations be accordingly issued inviting the surrender of arms, and exempting from punishment all such as shall comply by the 1st of April next (1850), and directs that Commissioners will specially instruct District Officers to call upon Tahsildars and Thanadars to make the proclamation as public as possible, informing them that their efficiency will be estimated by the result. (D.)	No. 52.
194	No. 28, dated 11th February 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mr. D. E. Facien,—appellant, *versus* the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána—respondent.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings connected with the case of— Mr. D. E. Facien—appellant, *versus* The Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána—respondent. (O.)	Nos. 90-91.
	No. 153, dated 23rd February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the original proceedings, and requests that the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States will instruct the Deputy Commissioner in passing sentence on any European, to record that he is not a European British subject, and give the defendant an opportunity to prove that he is. (D.)	
195	No. 154, dated 23rd February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Removal of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh to Calcutta.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces copies of documents relating to the removal from the Punjab of the Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and requests that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor will be pleased to issue the necessary orders for the removal of the prisoner to Calcutta, under proper custody. (O.)	Nos. 98-9.
	No. 155, dated 23rd February 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal.		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal for the information of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal. (D.)	

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196	Circular No. 157½, dated 25th February 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board, Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar, and the Superintendent of Hill States.	Classification of prisoners in jails.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing all Commissioners under the Board, the Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar and the Superintendent of Hill States requests that they will instruct the Deputy Commissioners of their respective divisions to enforce as strict a classification of prisoners in the jails of their districts as the present state of those buildings may admit of, and authorizes their sanctioning as a temporary arrangement any reasonable expense that may be needed to effect this object. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd March 1850— No. 1.
197	No. 236, dated 16th February 1850 From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Complaints preferred by Military authorities against the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi.	The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Board, a correspondence forwarded by Lt.-Col. Breton, Commanding the Sindh Sagar Doab, and Lt.-Col. Roberts, Commanding H. M. 98th Regiment of Foot, in which complaints are preferred against the tone of the letters addressed by Captain Hamilton, the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi, to those officers, and requests that the Board will issue such instructions for Captain Hamilton's future guidance as will prevent the occasion for similar complaints in future. (O.)	Nos. 52-5.
	No. 178, dated 1st March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, that the Board have received through the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division a letter from Captain Hamilton, the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi (in connection with Col. Breton's reference) complaining of undue assumption of authority on the part of certain officers marching with troops through the Sindh Sagar Doab. Expresses the opinion of the Board in respect to these references, and their regret for the inconvenience which the troops experienced in regard to carriage and supplies, and mentions the orders that the Board have issued consequent thereon. Forwards also copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division directing that officer to transfer Captain Hamilton to another district should he fail to adopt a more conciliatory bearing for the future towards the Officer Commanding at Ráwalpindi. (D.)	
198	No. 29, dated 21st January 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Powers vested in Commissioners in the Punjab.	With reference to the judicial powers vested in Commissioners in the Punjab, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division enquires from the Secretary to the Board of Administration whether he can dispose of cases which from their nature would admit of capital punishment or transportation being applied to them, but wherein circumstances may render it expedient that the sentence should be limited to a penalty within his own competency to inflict. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th March 1850— Nos. 8-10.

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198—*concld.*	No. 184, dated 4th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Powers vested in Commissioners in the Punjab.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division that, though the Board do not think it necessary to impose the same specific limit to his exercising a final judgment as laid down by the Regulations, they deem it requisite that all cases requiring extreme punishment for the sake of example should be referred to them, *i.e.*, cases of murder or attempt at, if perpetrated by open violence or in prosecution of robbery. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th March 1850— Nos. 8-10.
	Circular No. 185, dated 4th March 1850.		Copies of the preceding letter are circulated to all Commissioners under the Board. (D.)	
199	No. 56, dated 25th February 1850 .. From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Misconduct of Baba Sampuran Singh, Jagirdar of Zilla Pákpattan.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the Board's letter No. 110, dated the 11th February 1850, directing that Baba Sampuran Singh, a Jagirdar of Zilla Pákpattan, might be licensed to keep certain arms, and in reply states that this individual had concealed some arms in the fort of Waseerpore, and has failed to assign any satisfactory reason for so doing, in consequence of which the issue of a license has been suspended. Recommends dismantlement of the fort in which the arms were found. (O.)	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 189, dated 7th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the dismantling of the fort, and states that the Board will await a further report in respect to the conduct of Baba Sampuran Singh. (D.)	
200	No. 36, dated 16th February 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder of one Saleh by strangling.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the Vernacular proceedings with an English abstract in the case of Daim *versus* Muhmunda,—charge, murder of Saleh by strangling. States that the crime is fully proved against the prisoner, and recommends that he suffer death. (O.)	Nos. 41-4.
	No. 198, dated 8th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant convicting the prisoner of the crime with which he is charged and sentencing him to suffer capital punishment. (D.)	

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201	No. 60, dated 21st February 1850 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Lall Singh, sepoy, charged with the murder of his comrade Thakur Singh, sepoy, of the garrison of Draebun.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Vernacular proceedings, with an English abstract, in the case of Lall Singh, sepoy, son of Dalip Singh, charged with the murder of his comrade Thakur Singh, sepoy of the garrison of Draebun. Observes that the guilt of the prisoner is satisfactorily proved, but that his motive for committing the deed cannot be discovered, as he asserts that it was done under the influence of a dream, and it appears from evidence that he was always on friendly terms with the deceased. Recommends nevertheless that he suffer death. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th March 1850— Nos. 46-9.
	No. 199, dated 8th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular proceedings with an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life instead of capital punishment, the case being an extraordinary one, and there being no evidence to shew malicious intent. (D.)	
202	No. 61, dated 16th February 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Attack made by certain Sikhs upon some soldiers of the Fusiliers.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for the information of the Board, copies of two letters from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, together with depositions and proceedings taken in reference to the attack made by certain Sikhs upon some soldiers of the Fusiliers on the 22nd January 1850. and states that, as recommended by Major MacGregor, he has sanctioned the payment of rewards aggregating Rs. 150 to the parties who have aided in discovering who the Sikhs were and whence they came. (O).	Nos. 59-62.
	No. 201, dated 9th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits, for the information of the Governor-General, a narrative of the attack alluded to in the preceding letter. (D.)	
203	No. 38, dated 4th March 1850 ... From - The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Classification of prisoners in confinement.	In reply to the Board's Circular No. 8, dated the 23rd February 1850, regarding classification of prisoners in confinement the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar states that in the jail of his district the women have a distinct ward, and the prisoners under examination are separated from the convicts, and the present building will not admit of a further division. (O.) No order.	Progs. for the week ending 16th March 1850— No. 3.
204	No. 102, dated 2nd March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Returns of arms taken and persons punished for possessing them without licenses in the Jhelum Division.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division acknowledges receipt of the Board's circular dated 10th January 1850, No. 1, and forwards returns of arms taken and persons punished for possessing them without licenses, within his Division. Annexes also a copy of a letter from the Deputy	Nos. 10-17.

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204—*concld.*		Returns of arms taken and persons punished for possessing them without licenses in the Jhelum Division.	Commissioner of Ráwalpindi bringing to notice the inconvenience and obstruction to the proper enforcement of the orders regarding arms which arises from the circumstance of camp followers and persons attached to the Army having weapons without license. Recommends that soldiers proceeding on leave be furnished with licenses on plain paper. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th March 1850— Nos. 10-17.
	Circular No. 12—203, dated 11th March 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs all Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára that the Board consider it desirable that the prohibition against the carrying of arms without license should not interfere with the native soldiers of the East India Company's Army proceeding on leave or returning, and therefore direct that the police of their respective divisions be instructed to allow all such native soldiers holding "Leave certificates" to pass unmolested with their arms. (D.)	
			A copy of the foregoing circular forwarded to the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States for information only.	
	No. 203½, dated 11th March 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Adjutant-General of the Army.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding circular to the Adjutant-General of the Army for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and observes that it is desirable that sepoys proceeding on leave should be warned that their "Leave certificates" will be demanded in proof of their right to carry arms. (D.)	
	No. 204, dated 11th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, for the information of the Major-General Commanding the Punjab Division, a copy of Board's circular No. 12, and mentions that the foregoing letter has been written to the Adjutant-General of the Army. (D.)	
205	No. 53, dated 6th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mussammat Bibi Rani charged with wounding and attempting to murder her husband.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the Vernacular proceedings with an English abstract in the case of Mussammat Bibi Rani charged with wounding and attempting to murder her husband. States that the prisoner pleads guilty, and asserts that her husband's impotency urged her to the crime. Recommends that she suffer imprisonment for life in banishment on the Continent of India.	Nos. 18-21.
	No. 205, dated 11th March 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer the punishment recommended. (D.)	

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206	No. 86, dated 4th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder of Hiranand.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings connected with the trial of Jadah and Umra, two prisoners, charged with highway robbery attended with the murder of Hiranand. States that this case occurred prior to Annexation, but that the crime is proved not only by their own confession but also by the evidence of witnesses. Recommends therefore that the prisoners suffer capital punishment. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th March 1850— Nos. 29-31.
	No. 208, dated 13th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forward an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer death as recommended.	
207	No. 106, dated 5th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of Fatteh Khan, Gheb.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division replies to the Board's letter of the 2nd March 1850, No. 179, and forwards a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi in the case of Fatteh Khan, Gheb. States that he has directed the release of that individual, as it does not appear that Mussammat Ghorun died from the effects of the flogging which she had received by order of Fatteh Khan, Gheb, but from fever. (O.)	Nos. 38-40.
	No. 211, dated 14th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration calls for the entire record of the proceedings held in the case of Fatteh Khan, Gheb, and enquires whether he had irons on him during his confinement, and whether he was lodged with other prisoners or separately. (D)	
208	No. 129, dated 2nd March 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Entertainment of armed followers by the Cis-Sutlej Chiefs.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards, for the consideration of the Board, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála, reporting that a large number of armed followers are still entertained by the Cis-Sutlej Chiefs, and recommending that they be compelled, one and all, to discharge all such armed retainers. The Commissioner observes that the retainers are kept up for no useful purpose and are a heavy burden on the resources of their employers, and endanger rather than preserve the peace of the country. (O.)	Nos. 42-4.
	No. 213, dated 14th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board agree in much that has been advanced in favour of the measure proposed by Mr. Cust, but that they see strong objections to the authoritative enforcement of it, inasmuch as it would, in the already altered position of the Cis-Sutlej Chiefs, be viewed as an additional punishment and a most humiliating degradation, while the Government may without detriment	

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			to themselves, allow these men to enjoy the mere pageantry of their former state, which must dwindle away by degrees, when they begin to feel that its maintenance cripples their means more than it gratifies their pride. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th March 1850—
209	No. 52, dated 6th February 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Kanhya and Jairam, charged with highway robbery.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of the proceedings in the case of Kanhya and Jairam, charged with highway robbery attended with attempt to murder. Observes that though the crime of robbery with wounding is fully proved against the prisoners, it does not appear to have been the firm resolution of the prisoners to murder the plaintiff, and therefore recommends that they suffer imprisonment in transportation for life. (O.)	Nos 47-8.
	No. 215, dated 15th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings convicting the prisoners, and, under all the circumstances of the crime, and with reference to the powers vested in the Board by the Governor-General, sentencing them to suffer the extreme penalty of the law for the sake of example. Encloses warrants to the above effect. (D.)	
210	No. 216, dated 15th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.	Discharge of confederates of Mulraj.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs that the Commissioner of the Multán Division will summon to his presence and discharge, with an admonition and warning, all prisoners in confinement at Multán for having been confederate with Mulraj (except officers from the rank of Colonel to that of Naick and except deserters from the E. I. Company's or Lahore Army), giving such as are destitute of all means a trifling allowance to enable them to reach their homes. (D.)	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 217, dated 15th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner in Sindh, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires from the Commissioner in Sindh whether jail accommodation could conveniently be found in Sindh for about 50 prisoners (officers) confederates of Mulraj at present in confinement at Multán. (D.)	
211	No. 66, dated 7th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Enforcement of the disarming order within the Multán Division.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration reports upon the execution of the disarming order within his division and expresses his regret that the option of having arms broken up and reforged into agricultural implements was not given to the owners. (O.)	Nos. 57-64.
	No. 218, dated 15th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that all persons voluntarily giving up their arms may have the broken materials of the same restored to them. (D.)	

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212	No. 224, dated 16th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Trial of British subjects charged with the commission of crime in Foreign territory.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Secretary to the Government of India to a communication from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States enquiring whether it is necessary in every case in which a British subject is charged with the commission of crime in Foreign territory to apply as heretofore for previous sanction to his trial. Submits that the circumstances of the Administration conducted by the Board and of the districts under their charge are so peculiar as to render the rule unnecessary, and recommends that they be empowered to authorize a departure from it in regard to the trial of any British subject, or persons named in section 2, Act I, of 1849. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th March 1850— No. 65.
213	No. 98, dated 13th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prepayment of hire for carriage supplied for troops.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Cantonment Joint Magistrate, requesting that the sanction of the Board may be obtained to his demanding prepayment of hire for all carriage supplied through his agency for the use of troops, in order that the owners of such carriage may not be deprived of their just dues. Observes that he considers the measure a judicious one and calculated to obviate the difficulty experienced in obtaining carriage.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd March 1850— Nos. 18-20.
	No. 229, dated 20th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board do not consider that the prepayment for carriage can be insisted on, the responsibility of regular payment resting with the indenting officer when carriage is supplied to the Commissariat or for the march of troops, but that they approve of the rule being applied to all requisitions from other parties. Furnishes him with a copy of the selected orders connected with the march of troops, for the use of the Cantonment Magistrate. (D.)	
214	No. 63, dated 7th February 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Affray between the members of the Koonjpura family.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards, for the information of the Board, a copy of a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Kaithal respecting an affray between the members of the Koonjpura family in which Faujdar Khan was murdered and two other persons were wounded. (O.)	Nos. 27-30.
	No. 234, dated 20th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States will furnish the Board with the result of his further enquiries into the cause of the affray, and observes that he appears to have misunderstood the Board's orders in regard to police jurisdiction in the Koonjpura State, which	

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			are not that the Chiefs and their subordinates are exempted from its interference, but that the Chiefs are exempted from interference on the part of the District Officers and their subordinates. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd March 1850—
215	No. 14, dated 4th February 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter, dated the 9th January 1850, No. 8, with annexures, respecting Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, and requests he will report what further information Mr. Vansittart has obtained concerning that individual. (O.)	Nos. 38-9.
	No. 236, dated 23rd March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, and requests that the information therein called for be furnished. (D.)	
216	No. 113, dated 25th March 1850 ... From—Lieutenant Glover, Officiating Garrison Engineer, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Timber for cantonments.	Lieutenant Glover, Garrison Engineer, Lahore, reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that 2,500 logs of wood belonging to his contractors have been stopped at a place called Jelala for the use of the Sialkot Cantonment. Requests that the Board will issue instructions for the immediate release of the wood in question, and suggests that arrangements be made for supplying the Siálkot Cantonment with timber to be floated down the Chenab so that he may receive that which comes down by the Ravi. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th March 1850— Nos. 13-16.
	No. 243, dated 26th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. States that the Board have written to Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere recommending that Lieutenant Glover's suggestion be carried into effect, and requests that he will instruct his assistant Mr. Prinsep to bear in mind (while employed in expediting supplies of wood) the wants of each cantonment and the means of supplying those wants separately for which purpose it will be proper that he should proceed to Jelala. (D.)	
	No. 244, dated 26th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of Lieutenant Glover's letter, together with a copy of the foregoing letter, to Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere, in view to some arrangement being made to prevent Lieutenant Glover's operations at Mián Mír being interfered with by Lieutenant Maxwell at Siálkot. (D.)	
	No. 245, dated 26th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Glover, Officiating Garrison Engineer.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates to Lieutenant Glover, Garrison Engineer, the purport of the foregoing letters; and with reference to the logs of wood stopped at Jelala for the use of the	

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			Siálkot Cantonment, observes that it is within the province of the Superintending Engineer to direct their release, if he thinks proper. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th March 1850—
217	No. 95, dated 22nd March 1850 ... From—Lieutenant Glover, Officiating Garrison Engineer, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Material for the construction of a new cantonment at Mián Mír.	Lieutenant Glover, Officiating Garrison Engineer, asks the Secretary to the Board of Administration that assistance may be afforded him in collecting wood and bamboos for the construction of the new cantonment at Mián Mír, and suggests that these materials be obtained from the territory of Maharaja Gulab Singh, the Chamba Raja, and the Kángra District. (O.)	Nos. 19-21.
	No. 246, dated 27th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Glover, Officiating Garrison Engineer.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board's letter of the 7th March 1850, No. 191, will have already informed Lieutenant Glover that they will afford him all possible aid in collecting the materials required for the new cantonment, and mentions that his letter under acknowledgment has been forwarded to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, with the view to supplies of bamboos and wood being procured from places within that officer's superintendence. (D.)	
	No. 247, dated 27th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of Lieutenant Glover's letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, and requests he will communicate with that officer on the subject of his letter and afford him all the assistance he may require in respect to collecting wood and bamboos. (D.)	
218	No. 47, dated 14th March 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Scarcity of workmen at Pesháwar.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copies of correspondence with the Executive Engineer and Brigade-Major at Pesháwar respecting the scarcity of workmen at Pesháwar and the delay caused thereby to the progress of public buildings, also a copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division requesting that officer's aid towards procuring workmen from his division. (O.)	Nos. 25-8.
	No. 248, dated 27th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board understand that workmen to a certain extent have been engaged for employment on public buildings at Pesháwar, and that they are ready to proceed on receiving an advance of a month's pay. Requests that he will make the required advance and send the men off at once, recovering the sum advanced from the Department to which the expenditure belongs. (D.)	

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218—*concld.*	No. 249, dated 27th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Scarcity of workmen at Peshâwar.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division to the letter addressed to him by the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, and requests that he will do all in his power to meet that officer's requisition for workmen and mentions the extent to which the Lahore authorities have succeeded in doing so. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th March 1850— Nos. 25-8.
	No. 250, dated 27th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.		A copy of the foregoing letters is forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, for information. (D.)	
219	No. 551, dated 21st March 1850 ... From—Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of a new jail at Lahore.	Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer of the Punjab, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration reports the want of accommodation for the prisoners whom it is proposed to employ upon the construction of the new jail at Lahore, and suggests that a place known as the "Gola Serai" be made available for the purpose. (O.)	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 259, dated 30th March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and requests that he will ascertain from Raja Tej Singh whether he would be disposed to let Colonel Napier have the temporary use of the serai required by that officer. (O.)	
220	No 144, dated 19th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Exemption of the Sardar of Makhad, his father and his followers from operations of arms law refused.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division sumbits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a Vernacular paper received by him from the Sardar of Makhad requesting that he, his father and 13 of his followers may be allowed a free license to bear arms. Observes that the Sardar and his father evinced great fidelity during the late disturbances, and recommends that the favour be granted. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th April 1850— Nos. 22-4.
	No. 266, dated 1st April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division that no free licenses to carry arms have been granted, and that an exception to the rule cannot be made in favour of the Sardar of Makhad and his followers on the ground of his tried loyalty. (D.)	
221	No. 2775, dated 1st April 1850 ... From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Requirements of wood for the Siálkot and Mián Mír Cantonments.	The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, replies to the Board's letter of the 26th March 1850, No. 244. States that the suggestions of the Board for supplying wood to the Siálkot and Mián Mír Cantonments will probably be attended with the greatest	No. 56.

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			advantage, and that he has accordingly directed both Lieutenant Glover and Lieutenant Maxwell to place a portion of the establishments or Agents employed for collecting materials under the control of Mr. Prinsep at present on deputation for the purpose of procuring wood. (O.) No order.	
222	No. 139, dated 18th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Raja Fazaldad Khan and his son Sherbaz Khan in confinement.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Rá-walpindi stating that Raja Fazaldad Khan and his son Sherbaz Khan have been in confinement since the 10th March 1849 on a charge of rebellion, but that no evidence has yet been recorded against them, and that he has deferred proceeding against the latter pending the return of Fazaldad Khan to Ráwalpindi from Lahore. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th April 1850— Nos. 50-53.
	No. 300, dated 10th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division that Fazaldad Khan, convicted of being an accomplice in treason and rebellion, has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment; and with respect to Sherbaz Khan observes that the Board believe he does not deny having joined the enemy, and he can therefore be tried and sentenced on his own confession; if he denies there must be plenty of evidence which can be brought against him, and which, if considered insufficient for conviction should still prevent the prisoner's release until he can furnish security for future good conduct. (D.)	
	No. 301, dated 10th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division a warrant sentencing Fazaldad Khan, a prisoner in the Lahore Jail, to imprisonment in banishment for three years, and directs that he will take an early opportunity of sending the man to the Provinces. (D.)	
223	No. 148, dated 6th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Jagirdari Horse for police duties in the Dera Gházi Khan District.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division replies to the Board's letter, dated the 30th March 1850, No. 560, conveying sanction to the retention of 70 Jagirdari Horse of Sardars Jewan Singh and Dial Singh for police duties in the Dera Gházi Khan District. States that the sowars of the former having refused to obey orders have been ordered off to Lahore, and that Mr. Cortlandt has retained those of the latter, and will have a party of Malik Fateh Sher Khan's and Muhammad Sher Khan's horsemen to complete the number (270) allowed for the district of Dera Gházi Khan. (O.)	Nos. 70-74.

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223—*concld*	No. 308, dated 13th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Jagirdari Horse for police duties in the Dera Gházi Khan District.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board approve of the arrangement made by the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and that Government will pay Dial Singh's horsemen from 14th March 1850, all arrears up to that date being payable from the proceeds of Dial Singh's Jagir. Authorizes Mr. Cortlandt to employ Dial Singh as a Jamadar or Resaldar.	Progs. for the week ending 13th April 1850— Nos. 70-74.
	No. 309, dated 13th April 1850 ...		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Major McGregor, Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, for his information. (D.)	
224	No. 184, dated 3rd April 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Illicit sale of liquor.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States replies to the Board's letter of the 13th March 1850, No. 210. States that the Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Ferozepore holds also the office of Superintendent of Abkari, and submits a copy of an application from that officer for sanction to entertain an establishment at a monthly cost of Rs. 156 with which he would be enabled to check effectually the illicit sale of liquor. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th April 1850— Nos. 22-4.
	No. 322, dated 16th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding to the Secretary to the Government of India. Recommends that the Cantonment Joint Magistrate at Ferozepore be allowed to draw the same salary, and entertain the same establishment as sanctioned for the Joint Magistrate and Superintendent of Abkari at Lahore. (D.)	
225	No. 165, dated 8th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Robbery of Toshakhana property.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence connected with a robbery of Toshakhana property which took place in December 1849. States that the amount of property recovered is valued at Rs 25,000. Observes that by the Regulations the Police are entitled to receive 10 per cent. on the amount, and recommends that the sum of Rs. 1,500 (in addition to Rs. 1,000 given by Dr. Login himself) be disbursed amongst the Police officers and others who were instrumental in the recovery of the plundered property. (O.)	Nos. 25-32.
	No. 323, dated 17th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits a copy of the preceding correspondence for the consideration of the Governor-General, and states that the Board recommend that the disbursement proposed by that officer be sanctioned, and that Dr. Login be refunded the amount paid by him, as the money was expended in furtherance of the enquiries instituted by the Magistrate, and the total amount to be disbursed by Government will not exceed 10 per cent. on the value of the property recovered. (D.)	

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226	No. 166, dated 9th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of a new jail at Lahore.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division replies to the Board's letter of the 30th March 1850, No. 102, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore stating that Raja Tej Singh is unwilling to give up the use of the "Gola Serai" except in exchange for the house at Siálkot known as Dewan Hakim Rai's Haveli. (D.) No order.	Progs. for the week ending 20th April 1850— Nos. 32-3.
227	No. 92, dated 9th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of Matadin, sepoy, charged with firing at his Jamadar.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration proceedings connected with the trial of Matadin, a sepoy, charged with firing at Udhar Singh, Jamadar, of the Draebun Garrison, with a matchlock loaded with several balls and of wounding 2 sepoys when trying to escape. Observes that the prisoner confesses his guilt, and states that it was his intention to kill the Jamadar. Recommends therefore that he suffer imprisonment for life in transportation.	Nos. 42-4.
	No. 327, dated 17th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings convicting the prisoner, and, with reference to the aggravated character of the offence, sentencing him to suffer capital punishment. Remarks upon the great delay that has occurred in bringing this case to trial, and requests that he will cause all cases that may have commenced in any month between April and October 1849 to be immediately disposed of. (D.)	
228	23rd February 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of Mahaj-ud-din, Satti, charged with the wilful murder of Dost Ali, Bafinda.	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of the proceedings connected with the trial of Mahaj-ud-din, Satti, charged with the wilful murder of Dost Ali, Bafinda, during the late rebellion. Observes that the crime is fully proved against the prisoner, but that it was committed under peculiar circumstances, at a time when there was no constituted civil tribunal to redress the wrong inflicted by the deceased, and therefore recommends that the prisoner be released. (O.)	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 330, dated 18th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant directing the prisoner's release. (D.)	

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229	No. 950, dated 8th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Imprisonment of one Ram Singh.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter addressed to the Superintendent of the Alipur Jail directing that officer to send Ram Singh to Moulmein to undergo his sentence of imprisonment and to send his servant back to his home at Kote Kángra, giving him Rs. 10 for diet allowance as far as Allahabad, where he is to receive Rs. 40 more from the Magistrate. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th April 1850— Nos. 69-71.
	No. 336, dated 18th April 1850 ...		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded for the information of the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. (D.)	
230	No. 114, dated 17th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed license to Baba Sampuran Singh to retain certain arms.	With reference to former correspondence, the Commissioner of the Multán Division informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that Baba Sampuran Singh has accounted satisfactorily for certain arms found in his possession, and that Captain Marsden, Deputy Commissioner, has therefore been directed to carry out the orders of the Board for granting that individual a license to retain certain arms. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th April 1850— Nos. 46-7.
	No. 360, dated 26th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires whether the orders of the Board directing the dismantlement of the Fort of Baba Sampuran Singh have been carried out, and suggests the propriety of his noticing the execution of the Board's orders, or assigning reasons for any delay that may occur. (D.)	
231	No. 986, dated 30th March 1850 ... From—The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Detention of military stores being conveyed from Delhi for sale in the Punjab.	The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of correspondence with the Magistrate of Hissar regarding certain Military stores which were being conveyed from Delhi for sale in the Punjab, and which were detained by that officer. Mentions that the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to receive any observations that the Board may wish to offer on the subject, and suggests the propriety of their publishing in the territories subject to their jurisdiction the Notification of 3rd February 1844 prohibiting the export of arms without license. (O.)	Nos. 83-6.
	No. 366, dated 26th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the N.-W. P.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Notification quoted is based upon Act XVIII of 1841 which implies that the possession and sale of arms are allowed in the country whence the export is made, which is not the case in the Punjab, and that the Board consider it desirable that no licenses should be granted for taking military stores to the Punjab or the countries west of the Indus. In regard to the arms, &c., detained at Hissar, states that the Board consider them legally liable to confiscation, unless the	

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231—*concld.*		Detention of military stores being conveyed from Delhi for sale in the Punjab.	traders can satisfy the Magistrate that they were ignorant of the prohibition against the possession and sale of arms in the Punjab, and that the manner in which the stores were procured was marked by no fraud or concealment. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th April 1850— Nos. 83-6.
	No. 367, dated 26th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence to the Secretary to the Government of India. States that the Board think it would be expedient not to grant licenses at present for the export of arms to countries west of the Indus, and recommends that the authorities in the different Presidencies may be instructed to that effect. (D.)	
232	30th March 1850 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Ghu'am Mya-ud-din and two others, charged with the crime of sodomy.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings and of evidence adduced in the case of Ghulam Mya-ud-din and two others charged with the crime of sodomy. Convicts the prisoners and submits the case for orders. (O.)	Nos. 93-4.
	No. 370, dated 27th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer four years' imprisonment with labour in banishment on the Continent of India. (D.)	
233	16th March 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cases of Khuda Bakhsh and Haji, charged with child stealing.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Khuda Bakhsh and Haji, charged with child stealing. Convicts the prisoners of complicity in the crime, and submits the case for the orders of the Board. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th May 1850— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 372, dated 29th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoner Haji to suffer imprisonment for two months with labour, commencing from the date of his confinement under trial, and Khuda Bakhsh to one month's imprisonment from 1st April 1850. (D.)	
234	No. 235, dated 24th April 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Occurrence of a highway robbery between Ambála and Karnál.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála, reporting the occurrence of a highway robbery between Ambála and Karnál, in which a dâk traveller (Lieutenant Hyde of the Engineers) was wounded. States that he has authorized the offer of a reward of Rs. 300 for the apprehension of the principal offender, or for information leading thereto, and of Rs. 100 for the arrest of each of the other offenders.	Nos. 27-30.

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234—*concld.*	No. 383, dated 30th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Occurrence of a highway robbery between Ambála and Karnál.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to the rewards already promulgated; grants the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States permission to increase them, if necessary, and observes that the Board deem it an imperative duty to see this class of crimes repressed, and from the variety of property carried off in the present instance expect that the exertions of the police in tracing the offenders will not be unsuccessful. Calls for a report upon any obstacles that exist to horsemen accompanying dâk travellers and also for a list of attacks on Europeans within the Cis-Sutlej States during the years 1848-49 and 1850 up to present date. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th May 1850— Nos. 27-30.
235	1st April 1850 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Abdulla, son of Shahwalli.	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Abdulla, son of Shahwalli,—charge, aiding and abetting in the murder of Jamal-ud-din during the late Sikh rebellion. Details the circumstances of the case, which, according to British law, prove that the prisoner is guilty, but, in consideration of the period at which the crime was committed and the fact that the prisoner was actuated by a sense of unmerited injury, recommends that he be allowed the benefit of the Muhammadan Law. (O.)	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 395, dated 3rd May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings concurring in the view of the Deputy Commissioner, also a warrant directing the prisoner's release. (D.)	
236	No. 200, dated 25th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of wounding of a Government elephant by a sepoy.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore respecting a sepoy of Captain Dennis' corps charged with having (while on duty) demanded a portion of the forage with which a Government elephant was laden, and of having wounded the animal with his bayonet on the refusal of the "Mahaut" to comply. Enquires whether the Board consider the sepoy amenable to the civil court.	Progs. for the week ending 11th May 1850— Nos. 5-9.
	No. 401, dated 6th April 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the question regarding the amenability of the sepoy to civil power has been answered by the Deputy Secretary in his letter of the 28th March 1850, No. 154. (D.)	

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237	Demi-official, dated 30th April 1850 From—Major Taylor, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Matadin charged with attempting the life of Udhar Singh, a Jamadar of the Draebun Garrison.	Major Taylor, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, acknowledges receipt of Board's warrant sentencing Matadin, a prisoner, to suffer death for attempting the life of Udhar Singh, a Jamadar of the Draebun Garrison and, in consideration of several circumstances attending the attack made by the prisoner upon the Jamadar, and the incomplete nature of the original investigation into the charge, recommends that the extreme penalty be remitted. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th May 1850— Nos. 19-20.
	No. 406 ...		Resolution recorded by the Board that the sentence of death passed by them upon Matadin be commuted to imprisonment for life with labour in irons in transportation beyond seas, and that a revised warrant be accordingly forwarded to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division, the return of the cancelled warrant being requested at the same time. (D.)	
238	No. 203, dated 26th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Gulab Singh, a prisoner in the Lahore Jail.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore respecting Gulab Singh, a prisoner in the Lahore Jail, who was convicted of having tampered with British troops, sentenced to be hanged and reprieved on the scaffold by order of Sir F. Currie. Requests that a warrant may be issued by the Board should they sentence the prisoner to imprisonment for life. (O.)	Nos. 24-9.
	No. 408, dated 7th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life in transportation. (D.)	
239	No. 108, dated 15th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rate of interest legally adjudgable.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests instructions as to the rate of interest that may be legally adjudged by the Civil Courts in the Punjab.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 416, dated 7th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Multán Division to Regulation XXXIV of 1803 as applicable to the Punjab in respect to rates of interest and to section IX of the same Regulation in regard to mortgages, also to clause 9, section VIII of the rules for administration of civil justice in the Punjab, and states that if the cause of action arose prior to the Annexation the rate of interest agreed on by the litigants at the time is to be allowed (under certain limitations) otherwise 12 per cent. (D.)	

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240	No. 230, dated 2nd May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disposal of a brass gun returned by Sher Muhammad Khan, Tiwana.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur reporting that a 6-pounder brass gun has been sent to him by Sher Muhammad Khan, Tiwana. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th May 1850— Nos 54-6.
	No. 419, dated 8th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division will instruct the Deputy Commissioner to have the gun broken up in his presence and the metal either sold or made up into ghurrees for the use of Kutcheries and Tahsils. (D.)	
241	No. 215, dated 3rd May 1850 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Measures for introducing standard weights.	As directed in the Board's letter of the 27th April 1850, No. 371, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for their information, a copy of a circular and Vernacular proceedings issued by him to the District Officers of his Division directing them to adopt measures for introducing standard weights. (O.)	Nos. 72-6.
	No. 427, dated 8th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board wish the measures to be pursued without the enactment of specific penalties, and direct that none be prescribed without their orders on the subject. Observes that measures proposed involving penalties which would not be enforced in the Regulation Provinces should generally be notified to the Board. (D.)	
242	No. 428, dated 21st March 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of two boys under age sentenced to death.	The Secretary to the Government of India refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to two entries Nos 43 and 44 of the Judicial Abstract of Proceedings for the week ending 9th February 1850, and states that the Governor-General dissents from the view taken by the Board of the case of murder therein referred to, in which two boys between the ages of 13 and 14 years were sentenced to capital punishment. Observes that the practice of such extreme severity is not permitted to obtain in other countries, and that His Lordship desires that no such sentences shall be executed on youths of tender age without prior reference to Government. (O.)	Nos. 77-8.
	Nos. 240—428, dated 9th May 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards for submission to the Governor-General a copy of a Minute recorded by the 2nd Member of the Board in the case noticed by His Lordship, and states that all future cases coming before the Board in which the prisoners may not be of full age, and in which sentence of death may appear a fitting punishment, shall be referred, as desired, for the orders of Government. (D.)	

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243	No. 222, dated 7th May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Materials for building purposes from Jammu and Ukhnur.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration with observations a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Wazírabád giving cover to one addressed to him by the Executive Engineer at Siálkot, respecting the difficulty he experiences in obtaining materials for building purposes from Jammu and Ukhnur during the occasional absence of Mr. Prinsep on the Ravi side from whence the Lahore Cantonment is supplied, and the desirability of giving him the entire benefit of Mr. Prinsep's services. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th May 1850— Nos. 91-4.
	No. 431, dated 9th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board are of opinion that Mr. Prinsep should be able to do the duty required upon both rivers (the Ravi and Chenab), and that the Executive Engineer at Siálkot should place one of his Assistants at Ukhnur under Mr. Prinsep's orders as the Board cannot afford to give separate officers for both rivers. Observes that it is not their duty to furnish the Executive Engineer with materials, and all that he can expect is aid. (O.)	
244	No. 147, dated 1st April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of a party of 10 convicts.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter of instructions written by him to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore in connection with the escape of a party of 10 convicts who were detached by the Overseer of the Soldiers' garden from the gang of prisoners sent to work there. (O.)	Nos. 112-16.
	Circular No. 437, dated 10th May 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (excepting Lahore).		The Secretary to the Board of Administion addressing all Commissioners (excepting Lahore) observes that the Board consider the instructions issued by the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for ensuring the safe custody of prisoners while at work to be judicious and therefore forwards 10 copies of the same for distribution amongst the officers of their respective divisions with any further remarks or suggestions which they may consider proper. (D.)	
	No. 438, dated 10th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		Copies of the foregoing letter are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information and guidance. (D.)	
	No. 439, dated 10th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration acknowledges receipt of letter No. 147 from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and informs him that copies of his instructions to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore regarding the custody of prisoners at work have been circulated. (D.)	

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245	No. 59, dated 29th April 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed modification of the provisions of clause 9 section III of the Rules for the administration of Civil justice in the Punjab.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, and recommends that the provisions of clause 9, section III, of the printed rules for the administration of Civil justice in the Punjab be so far modified as to assimilate them to the rule prescribed by Act III of 1845, which leaves it discretionary with the appellate court to require or dispense with security for costs from the appellant.	Progs. for the week ending 18th May 1850— Nos. 31-3.
	No. 448-244, dated 14th May 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding to the Secretary to the Government of India, and solicits the sanction of the Governor-General to the modification proposed by that officer. (D.)	
246	Circular No. 20—460, dated 17th May 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.	Cases of theft of mail bags.	The Secratary to the Board of Administration addressing all Commissioners under the Board requests that in the event of any mail bag or public banghy being robbed, or of any European Dák traveller being attacked by robbers, a report may immediately be made direct to the Board, and calls for a statement of every case of this kind that may have occurred since the Annexation of the Punjab, with details, and result of the investigation. (O)	No. 75-7.
	No. 461, dated 17th May 1850 ...		Copies of the foregoing letter are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Hazára and Pesháwar. (D.)	
	No. 462, dated 17th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar and the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar and the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division to the foregoing circular and to a notice published by the Postmaster-General, N.-W. P, and enquires where the mail bag which was despatched from Ráwalpindi towards Pesháwar on the 31st of March 1850 was plundered. (D.)	
247	No. 72, dated 1st April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Account of movements of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh and his followers.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates having furnished to one of the Members of the Board a memo. embodying the most essential facts disclosed by the depositions obtained respecting the movements of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh and his followers prior to his capture. States that 13 other disciples of the Guru have been captured by Mr. Vansittart, and that he is actively engaged in the pursuit of one Dharm Singh who has absconded. (O.)	Nos. 78-83.

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247—*concld.*	No. 468, dated 17th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Account of movements of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh and his followers.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration acknowledges receipt of the Commissioner's demi-official communication regarding the late proceedings of the followers of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh in the Jullundur Doab. Directs the release on security of such of these men as may not be notorious characters, and requests that he will bring the remainder to trial as soon as possible, and pass a final sentence in each case, submitting a report to the Board for the information of Government. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th May 1850— Nos. 78-83.
248	No. 169, dated 13th May 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prohibition of importation of Military Stores into the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Board's letter of the 27th April 1850, No. 220, respecting the stoppage at Hissar of certain Military stores intended for sale in the Punjab. States that the Governor-General is of opinion that licenses for the export of arms to the westward should at present be withheld, and that measures have accordingly been taken for prohibiting the grant of such licenses (O.)	Progs for the week ending 25th May 1850— Nos. 24-5.
	No. 473, dated 20th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Multán and Leiah Divisions and Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards for the information of the Commissioners of the Multán and Leiah Divisions and to the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar a copy of the preceding letter, and requests that they will watch the import of Military Stores from Hindustan in future, and cause the confiscation of any that may be discovered. (D.)	
249	No. 139, dated 11th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rewards for the recovery of the property stolen from the Toshakhana.	In reply to Board's letter of the 17th April 1850, No. 200, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General to the rewards proposed to be disbursed amongst the parties who were instrumental in the recovery of the property stolen from the Toshakhana in December 1849. (O.)	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 476, dated 21st May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for his information. Observes that the amount of rewards now sanctioned includes the Rs. 1,000 already disbursed by Dr. Login, and requests that the amount may be refunded to that officer. (D.)	
250	No. 263, dated 11th May 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical attendance at Ambála.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to former correspondence respecting the inconvenience experienced by the European residents of the Civil Station of Ambála, and the insufficient medical aid afforded to the prisoners in the jail, owing to the distance from Cantonments where	Nos. 37-41.

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250—*concld.*	...	Medical attendance at Ambála.	the Medical Officer in charge resides, and submits in original an application made by the residents for the appointment of Mr. Apothecary Hayes who has been pronounced qualified for the duties of an independent charge. Observes that this arrangement will not entail additional expense on Government, and recommends that it be sanctioned. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th May 1850— Nos. 37-41.
	No. 479, dated 21st May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the papers received with the preceding letter to the Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, and requests that he will furnish the Board with his opinion on the arrangement proposed by that officer. (D.)	
251	Circular No. 22—486, dated 22nd May 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board and the Superintendent of Hill States.	Statistics of criminal offences.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that all Commissioners under the Board and the Superintendent of Hill States, will furnish for each district (commencing from January 1850) monthly comparative tables of criminal offences on the scale of atrocity, with a short note concerning cases of murder, dacoity and highway robbery attended with murder or attempts to murder, stating whether the offenders have been traced and are under trial.	Nos. 56-8.
	No. 487, dated 22nd May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In continuation of the foregoing circular the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Leiah Division that for the districts of Dera Gházi Khan and Dera Ismail Khan it will be sufficient if the columns of the more heinous offences in the comparative statement are filled up. (D.)	
	No. 488, dated 22nd May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the foregoing circular to each of the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára calling for a comparative table of offences, and states that if the more heinous offences committed at Pesháwar and Hazára are noticed it will be sufficient. (D.)	
252	Circular No. 23—496, dated 24th May 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára and the Superintendent of Hill States.	Prison discipline.	In continuation of the Board's circular, dated the 25th February 1850, No. 8, on the subject of prison discipline, the Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners directs that boys be kept separate from grown up men, and that District Officers take care to see that the morals of the young prisoners are properly attended to by the jail establishment. (D.)	No. 89.

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253	No. 242, dated 8th May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Trial of cases of adultery.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the Board's Circular of the 3rd November 1849, No. 691, regarding the course which a Magistrate should adopt when cases of adultery are brought to his cognizance, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi, enquiring the extent of the power thereby conferred upon Magistrates. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th May 1850— Nos. 95-8.
	No. 499, dated 25th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, that the Board's orders were issued expressly for the purpose of giving Magistrate s such power as should preclude the necessity for committing to the Sessions all cases of adultery, and to enable them to exercise their discretion whether to punish within their competency or to commit. In order to prevent further doubt, states that under the orders adverted to a Magistrate has power of punishing in case of adultery by imprisonment for terms not exceeding 3 years. (D.)	
	Circular No. 25—500, dated 25th May 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Lahore, Multán and Leiáh Divisions and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		Copies of the preceding letter are forwarded to the Commissioners of the Lahore, Multán and Leiáh Divisions and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information and guidance, with reference to the Circular of the 3rd November 1849, No. 691. (D.)	
254	No. 784, dated 6th December 1849... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	River Police, Multán Division.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the instructions contained in the Board's Circular of the 5th June 1849 for the establishment of a River Police. Mentions what arrangements have been made in conformity thereto, involving an annual outlay of Rs. 14,684, and states that the ferries of his division have been farmed for 9 to 12 months at Rs. 15,860. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st June 1850— Nos. 10-23.
	No. 62, dated 22nd February 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Commissioner of the Multán Division submits, for the information of the Board, a report upon the Police Administration of his division for the year 1849, with observations upon the insufficiency of the Police, the organization of a camel Police, penal settlements and roads. Notices also the unremitting exertions of Captain Marsden and Lieutenant Coxe to improve the districts under their charge. (D).	
	No. 71, dated 11th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Commissioner of the Multán Division refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the observations contained in the foregoing letter on the subject of penal settlements, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Pákpattan entering into further details. (D)	

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254—*concld.*	No. 504, dated 28th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.	River Police, Multán Division.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the observations of the Board upon his Police report and its several enclosures, and expresses their entire approbation of the manner in which Captain Marsden has discharged his duties, and states that the Board are also highly satisfied with the zeal and attention displayed by Mr. Coxe and Lieutenant Cripps. (D.)	*Progs. for the* week ending 1st June 1850— Nos. 10-23.
255	No. 262, dated 20th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Personal Assistant for the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 30th March 1850, No. 146, suggesting that either a second Commissioner be allowed for the Cis-Sutlej States or the Civil and Sessions Judgeship be revived, the Secretary to the Government of India mentions that the Governor-General cannot at present comply with the recommendation, but under all the circumstances represented by the Board and Mr. Edmonstone, the Officiating Commissioner, directs that he (the Commissioner) be allowed a Personal Assistant for 6 months in disposing of all arrears of work, and that during the same period Messrs Montgomery and McLeod the Commissioners of Lahore and the Trans-Sutlej States, be required to take the Sessions work of the districts of Ferozepore and Ludhiána. (O.)	Nos. 27-9.
	No. 506, dated 28th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter for the information of the Commissioners of the Lahore and Trans-Sutlej States, and requests that they will in compliance with the orders of the Governor-General place themselves in communication with Mr Edmonstone on the subject of taking charge of the Sessions work at Ludhiána and Ferozepore. (D.)	
	No. 507, dated 28th May 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding Government letter to the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information, and, with reference to the orders therein conveyed, states that Mr. Montgomery and Mr. McLeod have been directed to communicate with him. (D.)	
256	No. 255, dated 18th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical arrangements at Simla.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Board's letter of the 11th April 1850, No. 186, and communicates the instructions of the Governor-General as regards the future superintendence of the Hospital and Dispensary establishments at Simla, and the performance of the civil medical duties of that station. (O.)	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 508, dated 29th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to the Superintendent of Hill States for his information, with reference to his letter No. 65, dated the 11th March 1850. (D.)	

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257	No. 196, dated 15th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Mutual surrender of criminals between Maharaja Gulab Singh and the British Government.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division replies to the Board's letter, dated the 9th April 1850, No. 297, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi, respecting the necessity of some arrangement where by criminals who at present evade justice by crossing into the territory of Maharaja Gulab Singh and *vice versâ* might be arrested, and suggesting that the local officers of the British Government and those of Maharaja Gulab Singh be permitted to make requisitions upon each other for the arrest of offenders. Observes that the proposal of the Deputy Commissioner is objectionable, inasmuch as it would lead to the surrender of individuals charged with kine-killing and other acts which, though not crimes, would be punishable by the laws of the Maharaja, and suggests the nomination of a Vakil. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st June 1850— Nos. 33-5.
	No. 510, dated 30th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division that the Board concur in the view taken by him of the plan proposed by the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi, as the orders of the Court of Directors only permit of fugitives from Native States being delivered up in case of heinous offences. Observes that a Vakil being in attendance at the Commissioner's Court, the necessity of a second one for the Deputy Commissioner is not apparent. (D.)	
258	No. 55, dated 28th May 1850 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical arrangements at Ambála.	The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, replies to the Board's letter of the 21st May 1850, No. 479, and states that he concurs in all that has been said by Dr. Brown of the high character and qualifications of Mr. Apothecary Hayes. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th June 1850— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 520, dated 3rd June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India papers submitted by the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States respecting a wish expressed by the residents of the Civil Station of Ambála to secure the services of Mr. Apothecary Hayes. States that as the Commissioner supports the application, and the arrangements proposed by that officer will not entail any additional expense, the Board are induced to recommend that they be sanctioned. (D.)	
259	No. 209, dated 20th April 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Management of ferries on the Jhelum.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the ferries on the Jhelum along the line where the river forms the boundary between the Ráwlapindi District and the territories of Maharaja Gulab Singh have for the past year been under the management	Nos. 8-9.

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259—*concld.*		Management of ferries on the Jhelum.	of the Deputy Commissioner. States that that officer now proposes that they should be let out in farm by him, and observes that it seems desirable that the consent of the Maharaja should first be obtained to the arrangement on condition that half the proceeds be paid to him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th June 1850— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 521, dated 3rd June 1850 ... From The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division will do as he proposes in regard to the ferries in communication with the Vakil of Maharaja Gulab Singh, pointing out to him that it is not intended to injure the Maharaja's income, and in the event of his making any decided objection, directs that he will cause the matter to be referred to the Maharaja for decision in communication with the President of the Board when in Kashmir. (D.)	
260	No. 281, dated 18th May 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Fire engines at Ludhiána.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter with enclosure from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána proposing that 2 of the fire engines in the Fort of Ludhiána may be placed at his disposal for the purpose of extinguishing fires in the town. States that the engines are likely to be of great utility if placed under the Deputy Commissioner, and recommends that a Jamadar on Rs. 10 per month be allowed to take care of them and superintend their working. (O.)	Nos. 16-19.
	No. 525, dated 4th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that before sanctioning the proposal the Board would wish to have information as to the numbers of fires and the extent of injury to property caused by them at Ludhiána during the last 10 years, and whether engines are possessed by other civil officers in charge of large towns. (D.)	
261	No. 264, dated 23rd May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Standard pattern of fetters and suit of prisoners' clothing.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards for the Board's inspection a pair of pattern fetters and suit of prisoners' clothing, together with a copy of a circular issued by him to the District Officers of his Division directing them to introduce similar fetters and clothing into their jails. Observes that patterns were obtained by Dr. Hathaway from the Superintendent of the Agra Jail, and that their adoption throughout the Punjab appears desirable. (O.)	Nos. 24-9.

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261—*concld.*	Circular No. 26—526, dated 4th June 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and the Superintendent of Hill States, Simla.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration circulates copies of the preceding letter to all Commissioners and the Superintendent of Hill States, Simla. States that the Board agree with that officer that a uniform system of clothing prisoners should obtain as far as possible throughout the Punjab, and that the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore has accordingly been requested to make up and send to each Division patterns of the things mentioned in Mr. Montgomery's letters in view to their introduction into all the jails. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th June 1850— Nos. 24-9.
	No. 527, dated 4th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		Copies of the preceding circular are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information and guidance (D.)	
	No. 528, dated 4th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the preceding circular has been issued, and requests that he will direct the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore to cause pattern fetters and clothing to be made up and forwarded to all officers who have received a copy of the circular above alluded to. (D.)	
262	No. 165, dated 22nd May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of one Jussoo Mall charged with having supplied the *ex*-Diwan Mulraj with grain.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of the proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang in the case of one Jussoo Mall charged with having supplied the *ex*-Diwan Mulraj with large quantities of grain during his rebellion. States that the charge has been fully substantiated, and recommends that Jussoo Mall be made to pay a fine of 2,000 rupees, and that a garden belonging to him be confiscated. (O.)	Nos. 41-3.
	No. 535, dated 5th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board have heard the statement of Jussoo Mall's three agents and are satisfied that they did sell grain in the town of Multán, and as they have failed to adduce any proof in support of their assertion that the grain was taken to the British Camp, directs that, as proposed, a fine of 2,000 rupees be levied from Jussoo Mall, and that his garden be confiscated. (D.)	
263	No. 292, dated 23rd May 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reward paid for the recovery of the bodies of two men drowned.	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence	Nos. 44-7.

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263—*concld.*		Reward paid for the recovery of the bodies of two men drowned.	with that officer, relative to a reward of 30 rupees paid by him for the recovery of the bodies of two men who were drowned, and which charge he (the Commissioner) has declined to sanction. States that his principal reason for disallowing this charge was his unwillingness to establish a precedent that might be brought to bear on many cases of individual danger and suffering which the Government cannot be expected to avert or relieve, but which may at the same time afford fitting occasions for the exercise of private humanity and charity. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th June 1850— Nos. 44-7.
	No. 536, dated 5th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that in the present case the Board sanction the payment of the reward disbursed by the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, but cannot allow it to be drawn into a precedent, and desire the Deputy Commissioner to act in conformity with the views of the Commissioner who has a discretion in such matters. (D.)	
264	No. 162, dated 22nd May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Carrying of arms in the Punjab by subjects of Native States.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the Board's circular prohibiting the possession of arms, &c. Observes that no provision is therein made for sepoys of allied States entering the Punjab on duty. Mentions an instance in which the arms of some Baháwalpur sepoys were seized, and encloses a copy of an order issued by him in the Vernacular directing that such sepoys should come provided with a pass from some officer in the service of the Nawab. (O.)	Nos. 60-63.
	Circular No. 28—542, dated 6th June 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board and the Superintendent of Hill States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners under the Board and the Superintendent of the Hill States a list of Chiefs who, with their sons, or confidential officers specially deputed by them to the Board, are to be furnished with a license or general pass for bearing arms when visiting the Punjab, such license to be returned on the return of the Chief or party deputed. Observes that it is to be distinctly understood that this relaxation does not apply to Vakils residing in the Punjab, nor to sepoys travelling or sent on ordinary business from the States named. (D.)	
	No. 543, dated 6th June 1850 ...		Copies of the foregoing letter are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára for their information. (D.)	

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265	No. 68, dated 29th May 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Validity of a decree passed by a Kardar of the Lahore State.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore enquiring whether a decree passed by a former Kardar of the Lahore State in favour of a private individual shall be enforced or not. Refers to a former case in which a similar decree, but in favour of Government, was held valid, and on the same principle proposes that execution be carried out in the case now referred to. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th June 1850— Nos. 74-6.
	No. 549, dated 7th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board think that decrees of the nature alluded to should, prior to execution, be subjected to review by the Deputy Commissioner in whose district the decree was given, or in whose district execution is demanded, in order to satisfy himself that such decree is in conformity with the spirit of civil law and the rules for administering justice. In case of Government demands, observes that the authorities now conducting the administration can either verify the correctness of the demand or abandon it. (D.)	
266	No. 385, dated 29th May 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Civil Medical duties, &c., of Simla.	The Secretary to the Government of India refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to his letter of the 18th May 1850, No 255, respecting certain arrangements sanctioned by the Governor-General for the performance of the civil medical duties, &c., of Simla. Mentions that Dr. Carter has declined to accept the appointment of Superintendent of the Hospital and Dispensary and Vaccine establishment, and communicates the modified arrangements that have been made consequent thereon. (O.)	Nos. 89-90.
	No. 556, dated 8th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		In continuation of the Board's letter No. 508, dated 29th May 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Superintendent of Hill States for his information and guidance, and requests his particular attention to the orders of the Governor-General in regard to the distribution of vaccinators. (D.)	
267	No. 235, dated 26th November 1849 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Registry of deeds.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division replies to the Board's circular of the 20th September 1849, No. 521, and furnishes an abstract of the opinions of his District Officers on the subject of the registry of deeds. Notices the custom that prevailed under the Sikh Government, and states that in his opinion the registration of deeds should not at present be compulsory, and if introduced	Progs. for the week ending 15th June 1850— Nos. 24-34.

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267—*concld.*		Registry of deeds.	should be entrusted only to a covenanted officer at the chief station of the district, or to the Adawluttee, if he be a man of tried worth and respectability. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th June 1850— Nos. 24-34.
	No. 335, dated 6th December 1849... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In reply to the Board's letter No 521, dated the 20th September 1849, the Commissioner of the Leiah Division states that he has been unable to trace the existence of any system of registration of deeds within his division, but is of opinion that its introduction would prove advantageous, though it would be premature to make it compulsory. Recommends that the Assistants at Sudder stations and the Adawluttees and Tahsildars be empowered to perform the duty. (O.)	
	No. 61, dated 2nd March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Commissioner of the Multán Division replies to the Board's circular No. 521, dated the 20th September 1849. States that no general system of registering deeds has hitherto obtained in his district. Recommends that the rule be introduced, but that it should not for the present be enforced. (O.)	
	Nos. 113, dated 9th March 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In reply to the Board's circular of the 20th September 1849, No. 521, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, submits an abstract of the opinions expressed by his District Officers on the subject of the registration of deeds. States that an imperfect system of registry did obtain within his division under the Sikh Government, and recommends that the rule be again introduced, but that it should not be authoritatively enforced. (O.)	
	No. 50, dated 1st April 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States replies to the Board's circular, dated the 20th September 1849, No. 521, relative to the introduction of a system of registry throughout his division. Forwards extracts of letters from his District Officers on the subject mentioning the practice hitherto observed. States that it would be premature to make registration compulsory, but recommends that the Assistant Commissioner in each district be appointed *ex-officio* Registrar of Deeds and that each Tahsildar be empowerd to register deeds within the limits of his jurisdiction under prescribed rules. (O.)	
	No. 125, dated 4th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of his letter, dated the 30th August 1849, No. 916, with enclosures, on the subject of the registration of deeds, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration further observations with a copy of a letter from Mr. Barnes, the Deputy Commissioner of Kángra. (O.)	
			No order passed upon this and the foregoing communications on the same subject.	

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268	No. 157, dated 13th May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a boy convicted of having forcibly violated the person of a girl.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of his proceedings in the case of Khuda Bakhsh, a boy aged 15 years, convicted of having forcibly violated the person of Mussummat Jinnut, a girl about 10 years old. Recommends that the prisoner suffer five years' imprisonment with labour in irons in banishment on the Continent of India. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th June 1850— Nos. 70-72.
	15th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer the punishment recommended by the Commissioner. (D.)	
269	No. 104, dated 9th May 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a widow convicted of having destroyed her child.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of his proceedings in the case of Mussummat Magni, a widow, convicted of having destroyed a child to whom she gave birth. Observes that under all the circumstances of the case the prisoner may be considered liable to capital punishment, but in consideration of her having been led to commit the crime in view to hide her shame, and in a country where it is as yet regarded as a comparatively venal offence, recommends that the prisoner suffer 14 years' imprisonment. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd June 1850— Nos. 8-10.
	No. 585, dated 17th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings, with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer the punishment recommended by the Commissioner. (D.)	
270	4th May 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mama Shah, convicted of having murdered a woman named Fazal Noor.	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of proceedings in the case of Mama Shah, a prisoner convicted of having murdered (during the Sikh rebellion) a woman named Fazal Noor, and recommends that the prisoner be sentenced to imprisonment instead of capital punishment, in consideration of the crime having been committed under a different rule, and for reasons of policy. (O.)	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 586, dated 17th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life without labour, and in irons, only if necessary for security. (Imprisonment to be undergone in Hazára or in banishment on the Continent of India as the Deputy Commissioner may think proper). (D.)	

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271	No. 205, dated 16th May 1850 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Oosman and Muhammadu charged with the wilful murder of Latif "Mullah."	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of proceedings in the case of Oosman and Muhammadu, two prisoners, tried and convicted of the wilful murder of Latif "Mullah," and recommends that they suffer death. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd June 1850— Nos. 24-6.
	No. 590, dated 17th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer imprisonment for life in banishment on the Continent of India instead of capital punishment, the offence having been committed during the Multán outbreak. (D.)	
272	No. 600, dated 18th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Brigadier Hearsey, C. B., Commanding at Wazírabad.	Enhanced rate of tax upon limestone in Maharaja Gulab Singh's territory.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers Brigadier Hearsey, C. B., Commanding at Wazírabad, to a representation made by the Executive Engineer at Siálkot to the effect that Maharaja Gulab Singh levies an enhanced rate of tax upon limestone, and enquiring whether it is to be paid. States for the information of that officer that he should pay the tax demanded, as it will be hereafter arranged by the President of the Board that whatever has been levied in excess of the old rate shall be refunded, and suggests that Lieutenant Maxwell be called upon to withdraw his agents and chaprasis from the Jammu territory and to make his requisitions henceforward through Mr. Prinsep. (D.)	No. 42.
273	No. 316, dated 3rd June 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of a bridge of boats at the Phillaur Ghât.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána urging the necessity for constructing a bridge-of-boats at the Phillaur Ghât on a more substantial and improved principle than that which at present exists. Encloses an abstract register of traffic for the year 1849-50 with a table of receipts and disbursements, and requests early instructions from the Board on the subject. (O.)	Nos. 43-6.
	No. 601, dated 18th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards the preceding letter to Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer, and requests that he will furnish the Board with the plan of an improved bridge and also with his opinion as to the best mode of keeping charge of the bridge with reference both to military and economical objects. (D.)	

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274	No. 962, dated 15th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Grant of leave to Dr. Hathaway.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 7th June 1850, No. 282, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General confirms the two months' leave granted to Dr. Hathaway, but does not approve of the Civil Surgeon of so large a station as Lahore being detached for the purpose of accompanying the family of Sir Henry Lawrence to Kashmír. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd June 1850— No. 75.
	No. 614, dated 22nd June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Hathaway.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Dr. Hathaway for his information. (D.)	
275	No. 255, dated 6th May 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Responsibility of jagirdars and zamindars in track cases.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated the 25th April 1850, No. 675, respecting the joint responsibility of jagirdars and zamindars in track cases, the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States states that, as a discretion has been left to the District Officer in the enforcement of such joint responsibility, so a discretion should be left to the Settlement Officers in recording the conditions of the Dastur-ul-Uml to be prepared by them, particularly in the case of jagirdars who possess villages distant from the place of their residence. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th June 1850— Nos. 16-17.
	No. 618, dated 24th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the discretion allowed by the Board to the District Officers is not a discretion to declare a jagirdar irresponsible, but that they should have the power to enforce responsibility, or not, in each case with reference to its merits, and states that discretion implies that the jagirdars' responsibility shall, as a general rule, be recorded, though for special reasons the District Officer may, with the consent of the Commissioner, waive the enforcement of the rule. (D.)	
276	No. 956, dated 15th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical arrangements, Ambála.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Board's letter of the 3rd June 1850, No. 276, and states that the Governor-General declines sanctioning the appointment of a separate Medical Officer to the charge of the civil station of Ambala. Remarks that if the present residence of the Civil Surgeon interferes with his duties he must change it. (O.)	Nos. 18-19.
	No. 619, dated 24th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter, with that of the Board's letter to which it is a reply, is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information, in reply to his letter dated the 11th May 1850, No. 263. (D.)	

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277	No. 198, dated 11th June 1850 ... From—The Superintendent of Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Chaukidari tax on shops at Kálka.	The Superintendent of Hill States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence with the Assistant Superintendent of Hill States at Kálka on the subject of Mr. McBarnett's appeal against that officer's order directing him to pay Chaukidari tax on certain shops belonging to him at Kálka, the same as paid by native shop-owners. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th June 1850— Nos. 73-5.
	No. 640, dated 26th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that, if Mr. McBarnett is a European British subject and the Chaukidari fund is raised in any other way except by application from two-thirds of the house-holders and with the sanction of Government under the forms laid down in Act X of 1842, the realization of the dues does not come within the power of the Joint Magistrate, and states that, if it is deemed necessary that Mr. McBarnett should be assessed, the provisions of Act X should be carried out and explained to Mr. McBarnett. (D.)	
278	No. 134, dated 17th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of a Native Doctor in Kulu.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kángra, with enclosure (a letter from Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner), requesting that the sanction of Government may be obtained to the appointment of a Native Doctor in Kulu, and recommends that the application be complied with. (O.)	Nos. 88-90.
	No. 644, dated 27th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding correspondence to the Secretary to the Government of India. States that the Board fully concur as to the necessity of having some efficient medical aid in Kulu, and therefore recommend the proposal for the sanction of the Governor-General. (D.)	
279	No. 317, dated 26th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Expenditure incurred in execution of dacoits at Amritsar.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a memo. submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, showing an expenditure of Rs. 169-2-9 in the erection of gallows, preparation of additional nooses and hire of hangmen for the execution of 21 dacoits sentenced in April 1850, and solicits sanction to the disbursement. (O.)	Nos. 112-14.
	No. 655, dated 29th June 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction.	

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280	No. 213, dated 19th June 1850 ... From—The Superintendent of Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Destruction by fire of the Kasauli Theatre.	The Superintendent of Hill States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration correspondence regarding the destruction by fire of the Kasauli Theatre under suspicious circumstances, and solicits sanction to the offer of a reward of Rs. 100 for the apprehension of the incendiary, payable on conviction. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th July 1850— Nos. 22-3.
	No. 667, dated 4th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration sanctions the required reward. (D.)	
281	No. 320, dated 27th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Necessity for the establishment of a Police Chauki at Mián Mír.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration correspondence with the Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Lahore, pointing out the necessity for establishing a Police Chauki at Mián Mír, and recommends the entertainment of an establishment at a cost of Rs. 55 per mensem. (O.)	Nos. 24-8.
	No. 668, dated 4th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to the entertainment of the required establishment for a period of six months. (D.)	
282	No. 322, dated 29th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Building of a new Kotwali in the city of Lahore.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore regarding the building of a new Kotwali in the city of Lahore, together with a plan and estimate, and recommends that the sanction of the Board be given to the disbursement of Rs. 4,209 from the Nazul Funds for the above purpose. (O.)	Nos. 37-40.
	No. 674, dated 4th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division will state what money is in the Nazul deposits, and observes that all applications for disbursements from the Nazul Funds should be accompanied by a memo. showing what sum is available. (D.)	
283	No. 679, dated 5th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Magistrates of Benares and Allahabad and Inspector of Prisons.	Escape of Narain Singh and other Sikh prisoners.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Magistrates of Benares and Allahabad and the Inspector of Prisons that the Board of Administration have heard of the escape of Narain Singh and other prisoners from Lahore while on their way to Calcutta, and requests that they will furnish a list of these prisoners if in their power. (O.)	Nos. 49-50.

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283—*concld.*	No. 680, dated 5th July 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India with the Governor-General.	Escape of Narain Singh and other Sikh prisoners.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Secretary to the Government of India, states that the Board have heard that Narain Singh, a Sikh prisoner of importance (who joined Mulraj and was selected by him to raise the country between Multán and Lahore and cut off the communications with our army), with a number of other prisoners from Lahore effected their escape from a Government steamer on its way to Calcutta, and suggests that a reward of Rs 5,000 be offered for his arrest and Rs. 500 for each of the other prisoners. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th July 1850— Nos. 49-50.
284	No. 329, dated 4th July 1850 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab	Appointment of Justices of the Peace in the Lahore Division.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, suggests that the Deputy Commissioners of his division be sworn in as Justices of the Peace, and observes that much inconvenience is experienced at Lahore owing to Major MacGreger not being a Justice of the Peace. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th July 1850— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 694, dated 10th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division that the Board are in communication with the Government of Bengal regarding the new general Commission of the Peace about to be issued. (D)	
285	No. 353, dated 29th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed establishment of a dispensary at Ferozepore.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of correspondence regarding a proposition for the establishment of a dispensary at Ferozepore under the superintendence of the Civil Surgeon. States that Dr. McRae has, during the period of his incumbency as Civil Surgeon, humanely given the benefit of his professional skill to all applicants, and that the native population in the neighbourhood have fully appreciated his exertions, so much so that the applications in urgent cases averaged from 15 to 20 per diem, and that without a subordinate establishment the sphere of his usefulness is necessarily much contracted. Recommends the entertainment of an establishment at a monthly cost of Rs. 191 and the expenditure of Rs. 350 from the Local Agency Fund in enlarging the pilgrim hospital at the station for the purposes of a dispensary. (O.)	Nos. 27-34.
	No. 701, dated 11th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards the above correspondence to the Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, and requests that he will favour the Board with his opinion on the proposition therein contained. (D.)	

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286	No. 190, dated 1st July 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Building hired by the Deputy Commissioner of Hazára as a Kotwali.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1056, dated the 24th June 1850, the Deputy Commissioner of Hazára states that on the surrender of the last Sikh garrison in Hazára he found the barracks burnt, the Jail and Kotwali destroyed, &c., &c, and that as the necessity for some immediate accommodation for prisoners and establishments was urgent, he hired a building on a six years' lease, as it would be scarcely possible to complete all the public buildings required within that period. (D.)	Progs for the week ending 20th July 1850— Nos. 4-5.
	No. 716, dated 15th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Secretary to the Government of India, solicits the sanction of the Most Noble the Governor-General to a disbursement of Rs. 120 made by Major Abbott as rent of a building hired by him as a Kotwali or Police Station house for a period of six years, being at the rate of Rs. 20 per annum. (D.)	
287	No. 728, dated 9th July 1850 ... From—The Inspector of Prisons, North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of Narain Singh and other convicts from the Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 679, dated the 5th July 1850, the Inspector of Prisons, North-Western Provinces, forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Magistrate of Allahabad detailing the particulars of the escape of Narain Singh and other convicts from the Punjab. (O).	Nos. 48-52.
	No. 735, dated 19th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In continuation of letter No. 349, dated the 5th July 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Secretary to the Government of India that it appears from the report of the Inspector of Prisons, North-Western Provinces, that the number of convicts from the Punjab who escaped from the steamer *Kali Ganga*, is 17, three of whom are political offenders and the remainder murderers. Solicits the attention of the Governor-General to the peculiar evils that must attach to the escape of such prisoners as Narain Singh at the commencement of British rule in the Punjab. (D.)	
	No. 736-37, dated 19th July 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Magistrates of Patna and Tirhoot.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Magistrates of Patna and Tirhoot to keep the Board informed of the steps they may take for effecting the seizure of the 17 Punjab convicts who escaped from the steamer *Kali Ganga* on the 22nd June 1850. (D.)	
288	No 294, dated 8th June 1850 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Plunder of Koomedan Jewan Singh's property during the storming of the Fort of Kilálwala.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that during the storming of the Fort of Kilálwala by our troops in 1848 the house of Koomedan Jewan Singh, the Commander of the Sher Dil Regiment, was plundered of property valued by himself at about Rs. 2,500, a very exaggerated	Nos. 72-4.

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288—*concld.*		Plunder of Koomedan Jewan Singh's property during the storming of the fort of Kilálwala.	estimate. As Jewan Singh was faithful to us during the rebellion recommends that Rs. 600 be granted to him as adequate compensation for the loss he sustained. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th July 1850— Nos. 72-4.
	No. 745, dated 19th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence to the Secretary to the Government of India, and solicits sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 600 as recommended by Mr. Montgomery and Lieutenant Hodson as compensation to Jewan Singh, the Board considering the claim a just one. (D.)	
289	No. 1246, dated 18th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Deficiency of building materials at Mián Mír.	The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence in the Military Department regarding the great inconvenience to which the officers and men of native regiments at Mián Mír are subjected owing to the want of building materials, and expresses the conviction of the Governor-General that every possible aid has been and will be afforded by the Board to meet the present emergency. (O.) *Memorandum.* The Board will do all in their power as they have done hitherto to assist the Military authorities in procuring materials. (D)	Progs. for the week ending 27th July 1850— Nos. 6-7.
290	No. 91, dated 15th July 1850 ... From—The Officiating Magistrate of Allahabad, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Recapture of Narain Singh and 20 other prisoners.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated the 5th July 1850, No. 679, the Officiating Magistrate of Allahabad reports the recapture of Narain Singh and 20 other prisoners of those who effected their escape from the steamer *Kali Ganga*, and forwards descriptive rolls of 15 prisoners still at large, together with a copy of a vernacular proceeding by the Magistrate of Patna regarding them. (O.)	No. 10-12.
	No. 755, dated 22nd July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Magistrate of Patna.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Magistrate of Patna will furnish the Board with particulars of the recapture of the Punjab prisoners, as to the place where it was effected, the time and the parties instrumental in it. (D.)	
291	No. 756, dated 22nd July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Building materials for Mián Mír.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Commissioner of the Lahore Division will report what quantity of materials the old buildings which are available in the neighbourhood of Lahore will afford for the construction of the new cantonments at Mián Mír, and requests that he will at once make over to the Military authorities all buildings not used and not likely to be wanted for Government	No. 13.

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			purposes, reserving fabrics to which sanctity attaches, or the demolition of which is likely to give umbrage to any class in the community. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending the 27th July 1850—
292	No. 192, dated 20th July 1850 ... From—The Garrison Engineer of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Dismantlement of the vacant sepoy lines at Anárkali.	The Garrison Engineer of Lahore forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, respecting the expediency of dismantling the vacant sepoy lines at Anárkali for the sake of the material, and requests to be furnished with the opinion of the Board on the subject. (O.)	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 757, dated 22nd July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Garrison Engineer of Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Garrison Engineer of Lahore that it has occurred to the Board as an arrangement preferable to dismantling the lines to remove to them (provided the Military authorities have no objection) the Police Corps called the Sooruj Mukhi, and to make over the extensive buildings around the Idgah (now occupied by them) to be pulled down for the materials, which being much nearer to the cantonments will, it is conceived, be more convenient for use. Observes that the Board would rather that the sepoy lines should not be dismantled at present, and mentions that in taking materials from the Idgah it must be remembered that the mosque itself is not to be touched. (D.)	
293	No. 784, dated 26th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Recapture of Narain Singh and 20 other prisoners.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Secretary to the Government of India to former correspondence, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Magistrate of Allahabad reporting the recapture of Narain Singh and 20 other prisoners of those who effected their escape from the steamer *Kali Ganga*. States that the Magistrate of Patna has been requested to furnish the Board with further particulars as to the date and place where the recapture was effected, &c. (D.)	No. 78.
294	No. 417, dated 17th July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Protection of the graveyards at Chilliánwála and Gujrát.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gujrát soliciting sanction to the entertainment of two *chaukidars* at Rs. 3 each per mensem (payable from the Local Agency Fund) for the protection of the graveyards at Chilliánwála and Gujrát. (D.)	Nos. 79-81.
	No. 785, dated 26th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction. (D.)	

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295	No. 118, dated 18th July 1850 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Cis-Ravi Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Accommodation for prisoners in the Punjab jails.	The Superintending Surgeon, Cis-Ravi Circle, submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration extracts from the reports of Medical Officers within his circle on the confined space allowed to prisoners in the Punjab jails, and suggests that measures be taken to remedy the evil. (O)	Progs. for the week ending the 27th July 1850— Nos. 94-5.
	No. 787, dated 26th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Commissioners of the Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States, extracts from the Superintending Surgeon's letter. Requests that they will call upon their District Officers to report for the information of the Board the cubic space at present allowed to each prisoner, male and female, in their respective jails, and enquires what arrangements have been made for enlargement or improved ventilation consequent on the instructions contained in the Board's circular No. 14, dated the 10th April 1850. (D.)	
296	No. 425, dated 20th July 1850 ... From—The Magistrate of Benáres, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Recapture of escaped prisoners.	The Magistrate of Benáres refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to his letter No. 410, dated the 16th July 1850, and encloses a copy of a letter from the Magistrate of Patna reporting the recapture of 25 of the Punjab prisoners who escaped from the steamer and the death of four others, leaving ten still at large. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending the 3rd August 1850— Nos. 20-22.
	No. 796, dated 30th July 1850 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General, in continuation of the Board's letter, dated the 26th July 1850, No 387. (D.)	
297	No. 367, dated 20th July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of Colonel Budh Singh to a house in the city of Lahore.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore respecting the claim of Colonel Budh Singh to a house in the city of Lahore at present in the possession of the Department of Public Works. Observes that the house in question was taken possession of in 1846 when British troops arrived at Lahore (during Colonel Budh Singh's absence), and that in 1847 the occupier was ordered to pay the Colonel a monthly rent of Rs. 15 which was continued till November 1849, when Lieutenant Glover refused to pay the rent or to give up the building. Recommends that the arrears of rent be paid up, and the house vacated and made over to the owner. (O.)	Nos. 23-30.
	No. 797, dated 30th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Lahore Division, for the perusal of the Major-General Commanding the Division, a copy of a	

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			correspondence received from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and observes that as the house therein alluded to is without doubt the property of Colonel Budh Singh, and as the political emergency under which private property was required for the public service no longer exists, the Board solicit the interference of the Major-General for the restoration of the house and the adjustment of the owner's claim to arrears of house-rent. Submits that if the late and present occupants are of the class of non-commissioned officers who, when not provided with tents or public quarters, are permitted to draw Rs. 15 per month house-rent, the claim of Budh Singh could at once be met from that source. (D)	Progs. for the week ending the 3rd August 1850—
298	No 396, dated 20th July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim advanced by Rani Sukhan to a moiety of the fines levied in the town of Jagádhri.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála reporting a claim advanced by Rani Sukhan to a moiety of the fines levied in the town of Jagádhri while that town was held conjointly by the Rani and the British Government prior to 1847. Observes that the right of the Rani to participate in the amount realized by fines is undeniable, and solicits sanction to the payment to her on that account of Rs. 675-8-0. (O.)	Nos. 33-5.
	No. 799, dated 30th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India, for submission to the Governor-General, a copy of the preceding correspondence, and states that the Board are of opinion that the claim of Rani Sukhan is valid, and as the whole amount of the fines was credited to Government, which should not have been, requests authority to the refund of half or Rs. 675-8-0 to the Rani. (D.)	
299	No. 139, dated 23rd July 1850 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Establishment of a dispensary at Ferozepore.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 11th July 1850, No. 701, the Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, states that he considers the establishment of a dispensary at Ferozepore very desirable and a proposal that should meet with every support. Suggests that the wealthier class of the inhabitants of Ferozepore be requested to subscribe towards the support of the institution, and with respect to the supply of European medicines and instruments, observes that it will be necessary to obtain the sanction of the Medical Board before they can be issued from the Medical Depôt at Ambála. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th August 1850— Nos. 10-11.
	No. 825, dated 5th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Medical Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding correspondence to the Secretary to the Medical Board, and requests that he will inform the Board what is the	

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			prospect at present of a Sub-Assistant Surgeon being available for new charges in the Punjab such as hospitals and dispensaries. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th August 1850—
300	No. 379, dated 31st July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of new Cantonments at Mián Mír.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division replies to the Board's letter, dated the 22nd July 1850, No. 756, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, stating that he is not aware of any other building in the neighbourhood of Mián Mír belonging to Government the materials of which could be used for the construction of new cantonments. Observes that the "Budoo Awa" lately made over to the Military authorities will, it is estimated, yield at least 30 lakhs of bricks and that some arrangement may be made for exchanging a building called the "Gola Sarai," the property of Raja Tej Singh. (O.)	Nos. 24-6.
	Nos. 828—411, dated 5th August 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of correspondence with the Commissioner of the Lahore Division regarding the means of supplying bricks for the new cantonments at Mián Mír. Observes that it is out of the question to expect that the demand on that account can be satisfied from old buildings in the neighbourhood, and states that the Board are of opinion that the Engineers had better make bricks, the cost of which will be little more than that of materials from old buildings after the expense of pulling down and carriage is considered. (D.)	
301	No. 323, dated 11th June 1850 ... From—The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Death of a person supposed to be Richpal Singh, late a Colonel in the Sikh service.	The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, details the circumstances connected with the death of a person supposed to be Richpal Singh, late a Colonel in the Sikh service, whose property was attached and sold in obedience to the instructions of the Resident at Lahore, dated the 22nd January 1849. (O.)	Nos. 40-42.
	No. 334, dated 18th June 1850 ... From—The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the foregoing letter, the Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur states that sufficient evidence has been adduced to prove that the corpse brought in to him was that of Colonel Richpal Singh, and proposes that the reward which was offered for the apprehension of that individual be distributed amongst the Police officers who endeavoured to effect his capture. (D.)	
	No. 837, dated 7th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the two preceding letters to the Secretary to the Government of India. Observes that Colonel Richpal Singh had taken an	

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			active part in the murder of Colonel Canara in Hazára under the orders of Sardar Chutter Singh in 1848, that he was known as one of the foremost of Sher Singh's faction, and effected his escape with Bhai Maharaj Singh at the time of the surrender of Sher Singh and his followers, and that Lieutenant-Colonel Mackeson issued a proclamation promising a reward of Rs. 2,000 for the capture of either of the two fugitives. Under these circumstances proposes the disbursement of Rs. 1,000 as a sufficient reward for the exertions of the Police, since the conditions of the proclamation have not been formally met. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th August 1850—
302	No. 840, dated 9th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Remission of duty on limestone levied by Maharaja Gulab Singh.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to the Board's letter of the 6th August 1850, No. 540, and intimates that the duty on limestone levied by Maharaja Gulab Singh has been altogether remitted for a period of one year to come. (D.)	No. 48.
303	No. 400, dated 23rd July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab,	Attacks on European travellers within the Ludhiána District.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the 5th paragraph of his letter, dated the 6th July 1850, No 371, and encloses a copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, reporting that on the occurrence of attacks on European travellers within the Ludhiána District, no notice appears to have been taken of the conduct of the Police except in one instance. Observes that it is evident there has been a want of proper activity on the part of the District Officer, and that the Officiating Deputy Commissioner has been advised that whenever robbery or outrage of any kind is perpetrated in the vicinity of a Police post a searching enquiry should be instituted into the conduct of the Police. (O) No order.	Nos. 63-4.
304	No. 1489, dated 6th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of Narain Singh and other prisoners.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 19th July 1850, No. 376, the Secretary to the Government of India observes that the Governor-General is fully impressed with the importance of the considerations adverted to therein in respect to the recent escape of Narain Singh and other prisoners. (O.) No order.	Progs. for the week ending 17th August 1850— No. 27.
305	No. 200, dated 11th July 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab,	Case of Government *versus* Karam.	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Karam, a prisoner convicted of administering poison with intent to murder one Ahmad Ali in order that he might obtain the affianced bride of the latter, and recommends that he be sentenced to suffer imprisonment for seven years with labour in irons. (O.)	Nos. 45-7.

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305—*concld.*	No. 863, dated 15th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.	Case of Government *versus* Karam.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the Vernacular proceedings in the case with an abstract of the Board's proceedings sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life in transportation beyond seas. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th August 1850— Nos. 45-7
306	No. 399, dated 10th August 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Execution of decrees issued against British officers in military cantonments.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for the approval of the Board, a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Deputy Commissioner of Wazírabad, in reply to one from that officer, containing instructions as to the proper course to be pursued in the execution of decrees issued against British officers in military cantonments. (O.)	Nos. 57-62.
	No. 868, dated 15th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the Board's approval of the course of procedure laid down in the Commissioner's letter, and requests that he will instruct his other District Officers to the same effect. (D)	
	Circular No. 34—869, dated 15th August 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Jhelum, Multán and Leiah Divisions and Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information and guidance of the Commissioners of the Jhelum, Multán and Leiah divisions and Cis and Trans-Sutlej States, and for circulation amongst their District Officers, a copy of the letter alluded to in the foregoing correspondence as having been addressed by the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to the Deputy Commissioner of Wazirabad. (D.)	
	No. 870, dated 15th August 1850 ...		Copies of the foregoing letter are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information and guidance. (D.)	
307	No. 237, dated 10th August 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Pensions for Jagirdari Horse.	The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to letter No. 807½, dated the 31st July 1850, and forwards rolls of the Jagirdari Horse, including officers and sowars, shewing the amount of pensions and gratuities which he proposes should be granted to them. States that the proposed pensions have been calculated at the rate of 10 per cent. of former pay for 20 years with an increase of ½ per cent. for every year's service beyond that period, and amount in the aggregate to Rs. 13,793-7-0 per annum. (D.)	Nos. 83-4.
	No. 879, dated 17th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore will furnish Vernacular counterparts of the rolls submitted, and also state the date from which he would propose that each pension should commence. (D.)	

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308	No. 1244, dated 17th July 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Nathu *alias* Matwalla, convicted of wilful murder.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges the receipt of the Board's letter, dated the 29th June, No. 336, submitting for final orders the case of Nathu *alias* Matwalla, a boy aged 18 years, tried and convicted of a wilful murder. States that the Governor-General considers that in the present instance the sentence of death passed on the prisoner should be carried into effect, and requests to be furnished with a return of cases in which capital punishment was carried into effect within the provinces subject to the Board during the year ending 31st March 1850.	Progs. for the week ending 24th August 1850— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 883, dated 19th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the required return. (D.)	
309	No. 236, dated 30th July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Effect of residence in Multán after issue of Proclamation to quit.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division asks the opinion of the Board as to whether the having remained in the town of Multán after proclamation was made for loyal subjects to quit is to be deemed an act of rebellion and sufficient to debar claims to pension or price of mafi lands. (O.)	Nos. 14-15.
	No 886, dated 20th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that the Board consider the circumstance sufficient to attach suspicion to an individual, and therefore anyone liable to the imputation and yet a claimant for privileges which Government only grants to loyal subjects, should be required to prove his innocence. (D.)	
310	3rd August 1850 ... From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reward for the capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces, returns to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, for the countersignature of the Board a bill submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur for Rs. 10,000, being the amount disbursed as a reward for the capture of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh. (O.)	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 891, dated 20th August 1850 ...		The bill is passed and returned to the Civil Auditor. (D.)	
311	No. 313, dated 3rd August 1850 ... From—The Magistrate of Tirhoot .. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Recapture of prisoners escaped from the *Kali Ganga*.	The Magistrate of Tirhoot acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter dated the 19th July 1850, No. 737, and forwards, for the information of the Board, a list of 16 prisoners (of those who escaped from the *Kali Ganga*) recaptured by his police. States that the dead body of one prisoner has been discovered, and that several others have been apprehended at different places. (O.)	Nos. 36-43.

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311—*concld.*	No. 331, dated 6th August 1850 ... From—The Magistrate of Patna, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Recapture of prisoners escaped from the *Kali Ganga*.	The Magistrate of Patna acknowledges receipt of the Board's letters Nos. 736 and 755, dated the 19th and 22nd July 1850, and forwards copies of certain papers containing a full account of the mutiny and escape of the prisoners from the steamer *Kali Ganga*, and furnishes a list of those who have been recaptured in the districts of Patna and Tirhoot (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th August 1850— Nos. 36-43.
	No. 899, dated 21st August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Commissioner of the Lahore Division will direct the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore to prosecute enquiries regarding Khungun Singh, a convict who made his escape from the steamer *Kali Ganga* on the 22nd June and has not been recaptured. Observes that this convict is reported to be drowned, but that the Deputy Commissioner should not relax his enquiries till the fact is established. (D.)	
	No. 900, dated 21st August 1850 ... From The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States will direct the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur to prosecute enquiries regarding Palkoo, a prisoner sentenced to transportation for life, who escaped from the steamer *Kali Ganga*, and has not been recaptured. (D.)	
	No. 901, dated 21st August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States will direct the Assistant General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thuggi at Ludhiána to prosecute enquiries regarding two convicts who escaped from the steamer *Kali Ganga* and issue similar instructions to the Deputy Commissioner of Kaithal in regard to another prisoner who escaped at the same time. (D.)	
312	No. 405, dated 15th August 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Bricks available for the Mián Mír Cantonment.	In continuation of his letter dated the 31st July 1850, No. 379, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore reporting that the quantity of bricks available from old buildings for the Mián Mír Cantonment, is much larger than was supposed. (O.)	Nos. 61-3.
	No. 911, dated 22nd August 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General. (D.)	
313	No. 1576, dated 15th August 1850... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Payment to Rani Sukhan of moiety of fines levied in Jagádhri.	In reply to Board's letter No. 395, dated the 30th July 1850, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys sanction to the payment to Rani Sukhan of Rs. 675-8-0, being half the amount of fines levied by the Zillah Courts in the town of Jagádhri. (O.)	Nos. 64-5.

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313—*concld.*	No. 912, dated 22nd August 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To The Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States.	Payment to Rani Sukhan of moiety of fines levied in Jagadri.	A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for information. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th August 1850— Nos. 64-5.
314	No. 256, dated 12th August 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Lunatic asylum at Lahore.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division enquires from the Secretary to the Board of Administration whether there is a lunatic asylum at Lahore to which insane persons can be sent from the districts of his division. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st August 1850— Nos. 20-2.
	No. 923, dated 27th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that there is a lunatic asylum at Lahore to which insane persons can be sent. (D.)	
	No. 924, dated 27th August 1850 ...		Copy of the preceding correspondence is forwarded to all Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information. (D.)	
315	No. 204, dated 12th April 1850 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Introduction of British Police.	The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the Board's letter, dated the 18th October 1849, No. 876, directing the introduction of British Police in all villages in which the Government has a share, and requests orders in respect of villages which are held in coparcenary tenure by a Sovereign State and a subject Jagirdar and in which the latter had Police control. (O.)	Nos. 28-30.
	No. 928, dated 28th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the British Police should be introduced into all villages held in shares between a Sovereign State and a Jagirdar, it being in accordance with the decision of Government. Observes that the effect of this measure will probably be to induce the Sovereign States to seek an exchange of their shares, and that it is the Board's wish that such exchanges should be encouraged to enable the Sovereign States to get rid of their shares in such coparcenary estates on equitable terms. (D.)	
316	No. 433, dated 26th July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Stationery for officers in medical charge of stations.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits for the orders of the Board a copy of a correspondence received by him from the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi, relative to the mode in which the officer in medical charge of that station is to be supplied with European stationery. (O.)	Nos. 40-43.
	No. 81, dated 8th August 1850 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi, replies to the Board's letter, dated the 5th August 1850, No. 824, regarding the supply of stationery to medical officers in civil charge of stations, and states that the best plan for adoption would be for the Civil Surgeon to use his own stationery, and charge for the quantity actually expended in a contingent bill payable by the civil authority. (O.)	

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316—*concld.*	No. 147, dated 23rd August 1850 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Cis-Ravi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In reply to the Board's letter No. 824, dated the 5th August 1850, the Superintending Surgeon, Cis-Ravi, states that the Native Doctor or Civil Surgeon in medical charge of a station should supply stationery and charge for the quantity expended in a contingent bill. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st August 1850— No. 28-30.
	No. 933, dated 28th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division to his letter, dated the 26th July 1850, No. 433, and forwards, for his information, a copy of the Superintending Surgeon's letter pointing out the manner in which officers in medical charge of civil stations are to supply themselves with stationery. (D.)	
317	No. 987, dated 14th August 1850 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Governmant of Bengal, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	List of Justices of the Peace in the Punjab.	The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the Board's letter of the 10th July 1850, No. 695, and forwards a list of officers employed in the Punjab whose names will be included in the new General Commission of the Peace which is about to be issued; also forms of oaths to be taken by a Justice of the Peace and native Justices of the Peace. (O.)	Nos. 44-8.
	No. 934, dated 28th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to the Board's letter of the 10th July 1850, No. 694, and forwards a list of officers under him whose names will be included in the new Commission of the Peace now being issued. (D.)	
318	Docket dated 13th June 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Uttura and Shera, sepoys of Hazára, convicted of abduction.	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Uttura and Shera, sepoys of Hazára, convicted of the crime of abduction, and recommends that they be sentenced each to four years' imprisonment with hard labour in irons. (O.)	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 946, dated 30th August 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings, with warrants, sentencing the prisoners to suffer the punishment recommended. The Board observe that according to every probability the crime laid to their charge involved the commission of adultery. (D.)	
319	No. 965, dated 3rd September 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Dismissal of 20 Tiwana sowars by the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division an extract from a petition presented to the Board by Malik Sher Muhammad Khan, Tiwana, complaining that the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan has dismissed 20 sowars formerly belonging to him	Progs. for the week ending 7th September 1850— No. 20.

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			because they refused to cut their beards and the hair of their heads. Observes that such an order would be sufficient to create a mutiny among a wild body of men such as the Tiwanas, and requests he will at once call on the Deputy Commissioner for an explanation and see that no sowars are dismissed without good and sufficient cause. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th September 1850—
320	No. 1709, dated 28th August 1850... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reward for apprehension of the late Richpal Singh, a proclaimed offender.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Board's letter of the 7th August 1850, No. 417, and conveys the sanction of the Governor-General to the disbursement of Rs. 1,000 amongst the Police Officers of the Mirzapur District as a reward for their exertions to apprehend the late Richpal Singh, a proclaimed offender. (O.)	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 977, dated 6th September 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur.		A copy of the preceding letter, together with a copy of the Board's letter to which it is a reply, and a draft for Rs. 1,000, forwarded to the Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur. (D.)	
321	No. 982, dated 7th September 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Dismissal of Tiwana sowars by the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan.	In continuation of letter, dated the 6th September 1850, No. 965, regarding the dismissal of some sowars by the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan because they would not consent to cut their beards, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division a copy of the evidence of two sowars regarding that order, and observes that even admitting their statement to be incorrect, it is injudicious to place over such horsemen a Hindu, and that the influence he would appear to enjoy is still more objectionable. Requests that he will take every opportunity of carefully inspecting the Police during his tours, and that all appointments above the grade of sowars be submitted for his confirmation. (D.)	No. 50.
322	No. 411, dated 27th July 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Police administration of a tract between Kaithal and Karnál held by connections of Jínd family.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, reports upon the situation, etc., of a detached taluqa held by connections of the Jínd family and situated between the districts of Kaithal and Karnál, in which it is desirable to introduce British Police jurisdiction, it being a notorious fact that the villages composing that taluqa are an asylum for thieves who infest the high road between Ambála and Karnál. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th September 1850— Nos. 7-9.
	No. 989, dated 10th September 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that, before giving a decision, the Board desire to have some kind of evidence of the fact alleged that the taluqa is a stronghold for thieves, as the right to assume the Police control must rest upon the fact that	

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			those who have that control at present exercise it so negligently as to expose their neighbours to injury, and with this view calls for a statement of the number of cases during the last year in which thieves have been traced to the taluqa in question, or in which it has been shown by evidence that any of the villages have afforded protection to thieves. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th Septr. 1850—
323	No. 271, dated 21st August 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Bukhoo and Ramzan (father and son) charged with the wilful murder of a boy.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings in the case of Bukhoo and Ramzan (father and son), two prisoners convicted of the wilful murder of a boy named Gangoo for the sake of his ornaments, and recommends that the former suffer death, and that the latter, in consideration of his youth and his not being the actual murderer, be sentenced to imprisonment for life. (O.)	Nos. 12-15.
	No. 991, dated 12th September 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes an abstract of the Board's proceedings directing the acquittal of Bukhoo, the father (the proof against him not being, in the opinion of the Board, conclusive), and sentencing Ramzan, the son, to imprisonment for life in transportation beyond seas, with labour in irons. Observes that the Commissioner should have given his opinion as to the age of Ramzan, so far as he could judge, explaining the differences in the evidence on this point (the age of the prisoner was given as 12 by himself at one time and 14 at another) : a medical opinion also would have been as well, the case being one of life or death and the prisoner a minor. (D.)	
	Circular No. 38—992, dated 12th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Multán), the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration circulates to Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners an extract from the above abstract of proceedings respecting the plan to be adopted when the ages of youths convicted of murder cannot be correctly ascertained, and requests their attention thereto. (D.)	
324	No. 1801, dated 7th September 1850 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Supply of bricks for the new cantonments at Mián Mír.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Board's letter, dated the 2nd August 1850, No. 448, and expresses the satisfaction of the Governor-General at the information therein contained regarding the plentiful supply of bricks for the new cantonment at Mián Mír. Observes that His Lordship will be glad if a record can be kept of the quantity of bricks actually made over. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st Septr. 1850— Nos. 19-20.
	No. 1020, dated 18th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner, Lahore Division, for his information and guidance. (D.)	

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325	No. 467, dated 13th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Sale of the tent of a military officer in execution of a decree of Court.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Lahore, with enclosure, and enquires whether the tent of a military officer can be sold in execution of a decree of Court. Observes that it is the opinion of the Cantonment Joint Magistrate and the Brigadier Commanding that it cannot, since it is a regimental necessity for which he draws an allowance and is obliged to muster when required to do so (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st Septr. 1850— Nos. 48-51.
	No. 1037, dated 20th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board are of opinion that the exception claimed is reasonable and should be allowed. (D.)	
326	No. 477, dated 17th September 1850 From—The Commissioner, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Accommodation in the jails of the Lahore Division.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division replies to Board's letter of the 26th July 1850, No. 787, and reports on the accommodation in the jails of his division. Observes that there is now accommodation at Lahore for as many as nearly 2,800 prisoners, and that the remarkably small number of deaths and percentage of sick is a gratifying proof of the general healthiness of the jails. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th Septr. 1850— Nos. 45-6.
	No. 1059, dated 26th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the report furnished by him is highly satisfactory, but observes that the season has doubtless, as compared with last year, been a healthy one, and it would not be safe to conclude from the salubrity of the jails in any one year that the sanitary arrangements are perfect. Returns plan of the Lahore Jail received with the preceding. (D.)	
327	No. 382, dated 10th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Dismissal by Mr. Van Cortlandt of 20 sowars.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division replies to the Board's letter, dated the 4th September 1850, No. 965, respecting the alleged dismissal by Mr. Van Cortlandt of 20 sowars, because they refused to cut their beards and the hair of their heads. Forwards a petition to his address from Mallick Sher Muhammad Khan, Tiwana, on the same subject, stating that his sowars behaved foolishly in taking their discharge, and that others would be sent. Observes that he has called on the Deputy Commissioner to furnish the explanation required by the Board, though he thinks that an officer of Mr. Van Cortlandt's experience and judgment could not have issued an order of the nature alleged. Add that he has directed the existing vacancies to be filled up by Tiwana sowars. (O.)	Nos. 58-9.

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327—*concld.*	No. 1064, dated 26th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Dismissal by Mr. Van Cortlandt of 20 sowars.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Board do not see the necessity of filling up vacancies with the Tiwana sowars. The former letters alleged ill-treatment of those in service, and if they give up the service the Board consider it better to enlist new men who will look to the British authorities and not to the head of their clan. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th Septr. 1850— Nos. 58-9.
328	No. 477, dated 7th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Necessity for fire engines at Ludhiána.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 4th June 1850, No. 525, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards a statement showing the extent of the loss sustained by parties at Ludhiána during the last 10 years from fires, and observes that the necessity for having fire engines at the station is sufficiently apparent. (O.)	Nos. 82-3.
	No. 1068, dated 27th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of a letter, dated the 18th May 1850, from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, and applies for the sanction of the Governor-General to the proposal therein contained, that two out of the three fire engines now lying useless in the Fort at Ludhiána be made over to the Deputy Commissioner to be worked by his Police on the occasion of fires in the town. (D.)	
329	No. 403, dated 21st September 1850 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Dismissal of the 24 Tiwana sowars by the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan.	With reference to letter No. 965, dated the 4th September 1850, the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter, dated the 14th idem, No. 450, from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan, explaining the cause of discharge of the 24 Tiwana sowars, with copy of the petition they gave in. Considering the objection which the Beloochees have to wear blue, trusts the Board will approve of Mr. Cortlandt having allowed them to wear red *ungurkas*, and observes that they might be formed into a separate Risala. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th October 1850— Nos. 12-15.
	No. 1087, dated 30th September 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that Board's letter No. 1064, dated the 26th September 1850, will have informed the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division of their orders regarding the filling up of vacancies in the Risala of Tiwana sowars. Conveys the Board's approval of Mr. Van Cortlandt having permitted the Biloch sowars to wear red instead of blue *ungurkas*, and sanctions their being formed into a separate Risala. (D.)	

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330	Circular No. 40—1090, dated 1st October 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board (except Multán) and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára and Superintendent of Hill States.	Delay in bringing to trial certain prisoners in a case of murder.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners under the Board (except Multán) and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára and Superintendent of Hill States a copy of remarks which the Board have had occasion lately to address to a Commissioner regarding the delay in bringing to trial certain prisoners in a case of murder. Requests them particularly to bear in mind that considerations of humanity, as well as the ends of justice, require that cases, especially those of heinous crimes, in which life or death is involved, should be disposed of with all possible despatch, and trusts that the Board may never have occasion again to notice judicial proceedings so unusually protracted as those which have led to these remarks. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th October 1850— No. 34.
331	No. 341, dated 14th September 1850 From—The Superintendent of Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Chaukidari tax, Kálka.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 640, dated the 26th June 1850, the Superintendent of Hill States forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. Jackson, Assistant Superintendent at Kálka, showing how Mr. McBarnett of that place is amenable to chaukidari tax. (O.)	Nos. 63-4.
	No. 1099, dated 3rd October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that owing to the provisions of Act X of 1842 not having been carried out at Kálka in the first instance, the Board are constrained to annul Lieutenant Jackson's order and to direct that the demand of rates from Mr. McBarnett be abandoned till the provisions of the above Act be formally carried out. Requests the Superintendent's opinion with regard to the expediency of introducing the Act, and remarks that it would have been satisfactory to the Board to have received his opinion on the above matter when submitting the case (D.)	
332	No. 315, dated 24th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of one Nirmal Singh found in possession of an old cannon shot.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang regarding a difference of opinion between himself and that officer in the case of one Nirmal Singh found in possession of an old cannon shot without license and fined Rs. 50. Observes that he has directed a refund of the fine, as he considers that it was not intended by the Board's proclamation of the 2nd July 1849 to inflict such severe punishment in cases similar to the one under notice. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th October 1850— Nos. 16-18.
	No. 1114, dated 7th October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that the Board consider Major Clarke's construction of the order quoted correct, and that the retention of old cannon shot and musquet balls without license is	

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			punishable and should be punished. As, however, a difference of construction has occurred, the Board will allow the public the benefit of the doubt, but request that a proclamation be immediately issued in the Multán Division to the effect that the unlicensed possession of cannon shot and musquet balls will subject the holder to fine. Requests that the utmost vigilance be directed to the continued enforcement of the Arms Regulations. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th October 1850—
333	No. 95, dated 14th September 1850 From—The Judge of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cognizance of cases disposed of by petty Chiefs prior to 8th June 1849.	The Judge of the Cis-Sutlej States, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, enquires whether the Civil Courts, Cis-Sutlej, are competent to entertain civil suits for claims which were disposed of by certain Chiefs prior to the 8th June 1849, the date on which they were deprived of their judicial powers. Recommends that the Civil Courts should not be allowed to take cognizance of claims which from the production of a written document may appear to have been determined by any of the petty Chiefs prior to the date above quoted. (O.)	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 1116, dated 7th October 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Judge, Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board conceive that the spirit of the provision introduced in Act XVII of 1836, Section III, is applicable to the whole of the territories under the Board, and that the Board would not restrict the prohibition it contains to cases where a written record of a previous decision is produced, and furnishes general instruc tions for his guidance. (D.)	
334	No. 506, dated 28th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Ditch round the jail at Lahore.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for the orders of the Board, copies of letters from the Civil Surgeon of Lahore and the Superintending Surgeon at Jullundur, giving their opinions that a ditch round the jail, unless made of pucca masonry, must be unhealthy, and states that he also would rather see the new jail without a surrounding ditch. (O.)	Nos. 32-5.
	No. 1119, dated 7th October 1850 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board concur in the opinion that a ditch had better not be made round the new jail. (D.)	
335	No. 498, dated 25th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Chaukidari and conserva n c y tax, Lahore.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of the correspondence called for in the Board's letter of the 23rd September 1850 regarding the plan adopted by Major MacGregor, the Deputy Commissioner, for collecting a rate for the payment of chaukidars and for the conservancy of the city of Lahore. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th October 1850— Nos. 4-7.

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335—*concld.*	No. 1145, dated 14th October 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Chaukidari and conservancy tax, Lahore.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board would wish to have a report, with his opinion, upon the system which has been introduced, after it has been six months in operation, and states that the Board see no objection why "articles that are brought into cities by parties *bonâ fide* for their home consumption" and "not for purposes of traffic" should be exempted from the cess. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th October 1850— Nos. 4-7.
336	No. 541, dated 18th September 1850 From—The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed "blood-money" to Sher Khan, a Barkandaz.	The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, recommends that Sher Khan, a Barkandaz attached to the Police establishment of his district, who was severely wounded in attempting to capture the late Colonel Richpal Singh, be allowed "blood-money." (D.)	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1150, dated 15th October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Officiating Magistrate of Mirzapur to the letter of the 6th September 1850, forwarding a draft for Rs. 1,000 to be distributed amongst his Police, and states that the Board trust the amount will have been sufficient to enable him to remunerate the Barkandaz Sher Khan adequately. (D.)	
337	No. 100, dated 26th September 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of D. McLaughlin (defendant—appellant) *versus* Udmi, carpenter (plaintiff—respondent).	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration proceedings in the case of D. McLaughlin (defendant—appellant), *versus* Udmi, carpenter (plaintiff—respondent). Observes that the sentence passed in this case by Lord William Hay, late Assistant Magistrate at Simla, fining the defendant Rs. 100 and ordering that it should be paid by instalments was illegal, and recommends that half of the fine be remitted. Enquires whether Commissioners are authorized to correct obvious illegalities which may be brought to their notice otherwise than by appeal and to mitigate of their own motion punishments which may in their opinion be disproportionately severe. (O.)	Nos. 29-31.
	No. 1154, dated 15th October 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board regard it as part of the proper duty of Commissioners to correct illegalities and mitigate of their own motion punishments disproportionately severe so far as persons subject to the general regulations are concerned; but in regard to European British subjects, observes that where the proceedings are legal the mitigation of punishment should only be made under superior authority. In regard to the case under notice states that the Board give him authority to remit the fine if he pleases. (D.)	

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337—*concld.*	Circular No. 31—1155, dated 15th October 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Cis-Sutlej).	Case of D. McLaughlin, (defendant) appellant,—*versus* Udmi, carpenter (plaintiff—respondent).	An extract from the foregoing letter is circulated for the guidance of all Commissioners (except Cis-Sutlej). (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th October 1850— Nos. 29-31.
338	2nd October 1850 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mir, a prisoner convicted of abduction	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards for orders proceedings in the case of Mir, a prisoner convicted of the crime of abduction, and recommends that he suffer four years' imprisonment with labour in irons, and that the woman whom he seduced be punished by having her hair shorn and her face blackened. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th October 1850— Nos. 5-7.
	No. 1163, dated 21st October 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an abstract in English of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer four years' imprisonment without irons unless necessary for his security and to pay a fine of Rs. 200 within 10 days in lieu of labour. Observes that under Act 2 of 1849 a sentence of degrading exposure is no longer permitted, and that in cases of adultery when the term of imprisonment is less than five years the punishment of hard labour if superadded is to be without irons, and commutable to a fine (D.)	
339	No. 156, dated 11th October 1850... From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Sadulla and Afzal charged with murder, and Akbar Khan, charged with being an accessory after the fact.	The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar forwards, for the orders of the Board, proceedings in the case of Sadulla and Afzal, two prisoners charged with the murder of one Sayad Muhammad and Akbar Khan, charged with being an accessory after the fact. Observes that the evidence of witnesses in this case must be received with great caution, as a blood feud has existed between the parties for several generations, and that he considers the case so unsatisfactory that it appears quite possible to decide either for or against the prisoners. (O.)	Nos. 8-10.
	No. 1164, dated 21st October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an abstract of the Board's proceedings acquitting the prisoners, and remarking that, unless the balance of evidence in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner is against a prisoner, it is needless to subject him to trial before the Board, especially in cases when the proof turns not upon circumstantial evidence but upon the credibility of witnesses such as the Muhammadans of Peshâwar. Suggests whether it would not conciliate the feelings of the people and serve the ends of justice to entrust the trial of intricate cases like this to a jury, leaving the verdict, however, to be rejected or adopted according to circumstances. (D.)	

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340	No 327, dated 8th October 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Divison, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of prisoners from jails.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that he is in doubt as to the extent of punishment that can be legally inflicted on a jail guard convicted of gross neglect and connivance at the escape of a prisoner, and recommends that Magistrates be empowered to award imprisonment with hard labour subject to the confirmation of the Commissioner and commutable by a fine. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th October 1850— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1170, dated 22nd October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that the Board are of opinion that Magistrates should exercise the power of imprisonment to the extent of six months and a fine to the extent of Rs. 200 in addition, also hard labour, which, however, should be commutable for fine under Regulation 2 of 1832. Intimates that the Board deem this subject one of great importance and if neglect and irregularities on the part of the Police require more effectual check they will represent it to Government. (D.)	
341	No. 2200, dated 14th October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Fire engines, Ludhiána.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Board's letter of the 27th September 1850, No. 519, and conveys the Governor-General's sanction to the two fire engines now lying useless in the Fort of Ludhiána, being placed at the disposal of the Deputy Commissioner of that place. (O.)	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 1191, dated 25th October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information. (D.)	
342	Docket No. 104, dated 28th June 1850. From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Bill on account of hire of boats employed for the bridge-of-boats at Attock.	The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration bills submitted by the Engineer Officer at Attock on account of the hire of boats employed for the bridge from December 1849 to May 1850, amounting to Rs. 546-10-10, together with a copy of a letter from that officer enquiring what number of boatmen the Board will sanction, as all the men hitherto entertained have considered themselves public servants. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd Novr. 1850— Nos. 21-3.
	Docket, dated 25th September 1850 From—The Assistant Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Assistant Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a contingent bill on account of wages of the boatmen employed upon the bridge-of-boats at Attock from December 1849 to April 1850, inclusive, and for August 1850. (O.)	

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342—*concld.*	No. 1204, dated 30th October 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Assistant Commissioner of Peshâwar.	Bill on account of hire of boats employed for the bridge-of-boats at Attock.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration remarks upon the high cost at which the bridge-of-boats at Attock has been kept up, and states that for the future the Board would wish Lieutenant-Colonel Lawrence's arrangements carried out unless he decides upon recasting it in communication with the Engineer officer Passes the bills submitted with the foregoing letters amounting to Rs. 12,546-10-10, and authorizes the payment of such sum to the Attock boatmen for each month of the bridge and ferry season as the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawár may think reasonable. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd Novr. 1850— Nos. 21-3.
343	No. 2244, dated 17th October 1850... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical charge of Police establishments.	In reply to the Deputy Secretary's letter, dated the 7th October 1850, No. 399, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General does not consider officers in civil medical charge of stations entitled to head money for attending Police establishments. (O.)	Nos. 47 and 47½.
	Circular No. 1217, dated 1st November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Lahore, Leiah and Multán Divisions and the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		Copies of the preceding letter are forwarded to the Commissioners of the Lahore, Leiah and Multán Divisions and the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar for their information and that of the European medical officers of their divisions. (D.)	
344	No. 255, dated 19th October 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Seizure in the Jullundur District of a gang of coiners.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 995, dated the 12th September 1850, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards in original the correspondence in his office connected with the seizure in the Jullundur District of a gang of coiners. Remarks on the circumstances connected with it, and the dexterity with which the capture was planned and executed, and states that great credit is due to the District Officer and his subordinates. (O.)	Progs., for the week ending 9th Novr. 1850— Nos. 9-10.
	No. 1226, dated 5th November 1850, From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that it is of the highest importance that the wholesale system of coining discovered in the Jullundur Doab should not only be checked, but altogether broken up in all its ramifications in Jullundur and across the Sutlej, and mentions the plan that might with advantage be adopted to effect that object. The Secretary to the Board requests the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States will communicate to Messrs. Vansittart and Brereton the Board's approbation of the zeal and success with which they have already prosecuted their enquiries. (D.)	
345	No. 437, dated 19th October 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mauladad, a prisoner convicted of the murder of his sister-in-law.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings in the case of Mauladad a prisoner convicted of the murder of his sister-in-law in a fit of passion. Observes that all	Nos. 17-19.

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345—*concld.*		Case of Maula-dad, a prisoner convicted of the murder of his sister-in-law.	that can be pleaded in extenuation of the prisoner's guilt is that he was ill, and no doubt rendered irritable by severe suffering, but as this circumstance cannot be considered sufficient to bar capital punishment, recommends that sentence of death be passed. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th Novr. 1850— Nos. 17-19.
	No 1231, dated 5th November 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an abstract of the Board's proceedings convicting the prisoner. Considering that the Muhammadans of Tank and the Deraját are a class of people whom it is very desirable to reconcile to British rule and to our judicial system by making every allowance for their feelings, as has been done by the Board in other cases of murder where the honour of families was concerned, the Board sentence the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life, with hard labour in irons in banishment on the Continent of India. (D.)	
346	No. 251 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Cis-Ravi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Want of ventilation in the jail buildings at Lahore.	The Superintending Surgeon, Cis-Ravi, informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the jail buildings at Lahore need improved ventilation and that they are in an overcrowded state, which is enough to engender disease. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th Novr. 1850— Nos. 38-40.
	No. 1267, dated 15th November 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, and states that the Board hope that he will be able to devise some means for giving the prisoners more air as well as more room. (D.)	
	No. 1268, dated 15th November 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		Copies of the two preceding letters are forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for his information.	
347	No. 566, dated 8th November 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Ruldu, a prisoner, convicted of murder.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings in the case of Ruldu, a prisoner convicted of the murder of Mussammat Bhagan, his sister, by administering intoxicating drugs. States that the culprit appears to have been actuated to the crime in consequence of the deceased having been made over by his mother to a prostitute, and under the circumstances recommends that a mitigated sentence of imprisonment for life be passed upon him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd Novr. 1850— Nos. 50-51.
	No. 1323, dated 22nd November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life with labour in irons in transportation beyond the seas. (O.)	

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348	No. 264, dated 28th October 1850... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab,	Case of Nur, a prisoner convicted of murder and assault.	The Deputy Commssioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Nur, a prisoner convicted of assaulting and killing with sabre wounds Jamal Bee, his brother's wife, and of wounding Sayad Ahmad Shah, her paramour. Details the circumstances of the case, and recommends the prisoner to the merciful consideration of the Board. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd Novr. 1850— Nos. 56-8.
	No. 1326, dated 22nd November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings acquitting the prisoner of the crime of wilful murder and convicting him of culpable homicide, together with a warrant sentencing him to seven years' imprisonment without labour and without irons, unless the irons may be deemed necessary for his safe custody. (D.)	
349	No. 485, dated 24th August 1850 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Security from Jafir Khan of Golra.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration papers called for by the Board's letter, dated the 19th August 1850, No. 881, regarding the requisition for security from Jafir Khan of Golra. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th Novr. 1850— Nos. 1-3.
	No. 496, dated 29th August 1850... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an original report from the Deputy Commissioner of Rá-walpindi relating to the case of Jafir Khan. States that he has gone carefully through the proceedings of the case, and finding nothing on record to support the charges brought against Jafir Khan he has acquitted him without demanding a life security for future good behaviour. (O.)	
	No. 1327, dated 25th November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the observations of the Board upon the trial of Jafir Khan, and states that they see no reason to interfere with his order acquitting the prisoner. Observes that the attention of the Board has been called to the tone of Captain Hamilton's letters which they consider particularly objectionable, inasmuch as the expressions used by that officer imply a rejection on his part of the Commissioner's judgment and an unqualified opinion of its incorrectness. Desires that Captain Hamilton be required to express his regret for the use of such a style and give his assurance that he will be more deferential in his future communications. Adds that he should seriously warn Jafir Khan and remove him from Golra by giving him some police employment in Pesháwar or any other Trans-Indus district. (D.)	

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350	No. 1432, dated 24th November 1850. From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Alignment of road from Lahore to Ludhiána.	In reply to Board's letter No. 1228, dated the 5th November 1850, the Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, states that the mail from Jullundur is now conveyed by Vazir Ghât, and that he will be glad if the Board will order the whole line of road to Ludhiána to be measured and marked, and issue orders prohibiting excavations being made within 30 feet of the roadside. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th Novr 1850— Nos. 38-40.
	No. 1335, dated 28th November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter for the information of the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and requests that he will cause the line of road from Lahore to Ludhiána to be measured and mile-stones placed upon it. (D.)	
	No. 1336, dated 28th November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioners of the Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States, and as requested therein directs that they will issue orders prohibiting excavations being made on such portions of the road from Lahore to Ludhiána as lie in their respective divisions. (D.)	
351	No. 578, dated 19th November 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Relief of the poor at Siálkot.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter, with enclosure, from Colonel Mackenzie, Commanding at Siálkot, respecting the establishment of a charity hospital at Siálkot for the relief of the poor at that place and soliciting sanction to expend Rs. 400 from the Cantonment Abkari Fund for the erection of a hospital, and further asking for the services of a Native Doctor with a suitable supply of medicines from the Government Depôt. (O.)	Nos. 41-3.
	No. 1337, dated 28th November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, for the consideration of the Governor-General, and recommends the application of Colonel Mackenzie for the sanction of His Lordship on the understanding that the services of the Native Doctor and the permission to indent for medicines are to be given only for 12 months after which period the subject is again to be reconsidered. (D.)	
352	No. 1060, dated 25th November 1850. From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed construction of a thana at Pathánkot.	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that he has inspected the materials of the Fort at Pathánkot at present used as a thana, the bricks of which, if made available for the Bari Doab Canal, would be a servicable acquisition. Recommends, therefore, that they be made over to Lieutenant Dyas, and that a smaller thana be constructed at Pathánkot out of a portion of the materials. (O.)	Nos. 48-9.

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352—*concld.*	No. 1341, dated 30th November 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Proposed construction of a thana at Pathánkot.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. States that the Board approve of Colonel Napier's suggestions, and request that effect may be given to them. Observes that Rs. 400 or Rs. 550 should suffice for building a thana of the description required at Pathánkot. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th Novr, 1850— Nos 48-9.
353	No. 622, dated 22nd November 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Highway robbery on a marriage procession.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kaithal reporting the occurrence of a daring highway robbery on a marriage procession of Brahmins, attended with wounding, and reques's sanction to the offer of a reward of Rs. 300 for the leader of the gang composed of 10 or 12 men. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th Decr. 1850— Nos. 31-3.
	No. 1357, dated 4th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction, and further directs that a reward of Rs. 100 be offered for the apprehension of each of the men engaged in the robbery. Requests that the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej State will inform the Board what aid the Rajas of Patiála, Nábha and Maler Kotla may have given in this case. (D.)	
354	Circular No 45—1384, dated 13th December 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Management of public ferries.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration calls the attention of all Commissioners to the circular of the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, No. 3469, dated the 5th November 1850, published in the *Agra Government Gazette* regarding the management of public ferries, and requests that they will direct their District Officers to adopt the rules therein laid down as far as circumstances will permit. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th December 1850— Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1385, dated 13th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		Copies of the preceding letter are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information. (D.)	
355	No. 2836, dated 12th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Building of a charity hospital at Siálkot.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 635, dated the 28th November 1850, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Governor-General's sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 400 towards the building of a charity hospital at Siálkot and authorizes the Superintending Surgeon of the Division to indent for such medicines as may be required from the Government depôt as a temporary arrangement. States that His Lordship cannot comply with the request for the services of a Native Doctor. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st December 1850— Nos. 27-8.

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355—*concld.*	No. 1397, dated 18th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Building of a charity hospital at Siálkot.	A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded for the information of the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st December 1850— Nos. 27-8.
356	No. 652, dated 12th December 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Repairs to the "pilgrim hospital" at Ferozepore.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Board, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore, with enclosures, soliciting sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 350 from the ferry fund of his district for repairing the "pilgrim hospital" and adapting it to the purposes of a dispensary at the station; also to a monthly expenditure of Rs. 100 for an establishment to keep it up. (O.)	Nos. 35-8.
	No. 1402, dated 18th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board are willing to recommend the proposition of the Deputy Commissioner to Government, but desire first to be informed of the details of the establishment required, and whether an establishment of any kind has hitherto been maintained for it, and, if so, what establishment. (D.)	
357	13th December 1850 ... From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Convict labour, Pesháwar.	The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer at Pesháwar representing that the number of convicts (90) now placed at his disposal are insufficient for the speedy completion of roads in and about the cantonments, and requests that a larger number may, if possible, be allowed. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th December 1850— Nos. 3-5.
	No. 1414, dated 23rd December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar will, if possible, comply with the requisition of the Executive Engineer, and in future, when any urgent requisition for prisoners is made which cannot be complied with, directs that he will inform the Executive Engineer how the convicts are employed in order that he may not, from ignorance of the real state of things, prefer any unreasonable application to superior authority. (D.)	
	No. 1415, dated 23rd December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, for his information. (D.)	

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358	No. 701, dated 12th December 1850. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mullick Khan, a prisoner convicted of murder.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Mullick Khan, a prisoner convicted of the murder of his wife whom he suspected of being unfaithful to him. States that the prisoner appears to have been actuated to the crime laid to his charge in a moment of anger at her demanding a divorce, and under all circumstances recommends that he suffer imprisonment for life in banishment with hard labour in irons. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th December 1850— Nos. 24-6.
	No 1420, dated 24th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for life as recommended, but without labour and in irons only if necessary for his security. (D.)	
359	No. 1292—250, dated 11th October 1850. From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Seditious proceedings of Guru Maharaj Singh.	In compliance with the Board's instructions conveyed in letters Nos. 463, dated the 17th May 1850, 693, dated the 10th July 1850, and 841, dated the 9th August 1850, the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States reports on the case of the Guru Maharaj Singh's late seditious proceedings and forwards in original documents adverting thereto. (O.)	Nos. 42-50.
	No. 1427—699, dated 27th December 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		With reference to previous correspondence, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the above report and enclosures to the Secretary to the Government of India to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor-General. States that the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States has sifted the depositions relating to the Guru with great care and judgment, and that the Board concur with Mr. McLeod in the praise he awards to Mr. Vansittart for the very conspicuous service which he has rendered, not merely by the capture of the Guru, but by eliciting from his followers the whole history of his proceedings. Intimates that a list of some of the followers of the Guru has been communicated to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division with a request that he will endeavour to arrest them and take security from those who may appear to be dangerous characters. (D.)	
	No. 1428, dated 27th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, a copy of a list of some of the principal followers or adherents of the Guru Maharaj Singh believed to be still at large, and requests that he will endeavour to arrest them and take security from those who may appear to be dangerous characters. (D.)	

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360	No. 660, dated 24th December 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Refund of a deposit to Jamal Ali, Subedar in the 6th Local Cavalry.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States requests the Board to obtain Government sanction to the refund of Rs. 275 to Jamal Ali, a Subedar in the 6th Local Cavalry, being the amount deposited by him in the Ambála Treasury in *1831* and erroneously carried to credit of Government. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th January 1851— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 1442, dated 30th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for favour of sanction to the refund of the amount in question. (O.)	
361	No. 633, dated 23rd December 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Charity hospital at Siálkot.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1397, dated 18th December 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division requests the Board to return the original list of subscribers to the proposed charity hospital at Siálkot.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 1446, dated 30th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The list asked for above is returned to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	
362	No. 1584, dated 30th November 1850 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Justices of the Peace.	Referring to the Board's letter No. 695, dated 10th July 1850, the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal forwards to the Board a list of Civil and Military officers serving in the Punjab whose names have been included in the new Commission of the peace, issued by the Supreme Court. (O.)	Nos. 19-22.
	No. 1448, dated 30th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Board have noticed the omission in the list of the names of officers employed in the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States and Hill States, and enquires whether they have been included in the new Commission. (D.)	
363	Circular No. 46—1449, dated 30th December 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners in the Punjab.	Ditto	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Commissioners in the Punjab a list of officers serving in their divisions, and observes that it is necessary they should take the oaths of a Justice of the Peace according to the provisions of Act XXII of 1841; the form of the oaths when signed by each officer to be transmitted for record to Lahore.	Nos. 23-4.
	No. 1450, dated 30th December 1850		A copy of the foregoing circular is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information and guidance. (D.)	

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364	No. 2800, dated 10th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Establishment of a Military Police in the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Government of India replies to the Deputy Secretary's letter No. 322, dated 5th August 1850, with enclosures, respecting the establishment of a Military Police in the Punjab, and communicates the views of the Governor-General on various points of detail connected therewith. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th January 1851— Nos. 25-8.
	No. 1451, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Chamberlain, Commandant of Police, Hazára.		Referring to the foregoing letter and to his appointment as Commandant of Police, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes Major C. Chamberlain, the Commandant of Police at Hazára, with instructions for his guidance in raising the two Battalions that remain to be embodied at Hazára and in the Dera Ismail Khan District.	
	No. 1452, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners in the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Commissioners, for their information and for communication to District Officers, copies of letters relating to the Punjab Military Police.	
	No. 1453, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		Copies of the documents alluded to in the foregoing letter are forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára for their information.	
365	No. 1, dated 12th December 1850 ... From—Lieutenant J. W. Younghusband, Captain of Derajat Police, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Lieutenant J. W. Younghusband to the Punjab Police at Mithankot.	Lieutenant Younghusband, Captain of Derajat Police, reports to the Board his arrival at Mithankot, and requests that he may be furnished with instructions for his guidance. (O.)	Nos. 40-43.
	No. 2961, dated 23rd December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Secretary to the Government of India intimates to the Board that the services of Lieutenant J. W. Younghusband have been placed at the disposal of the Board for employment in the Punjab Police. (O.)	
	No. 1459, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant J. W. Younghusband, Captain of Derajat Police.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes Lieutenant Younghusband with instructions for his guidance, and intimates that Major Chamberlain, the Commandant of Police in the Punjab, will furnish him with more detailed information. (D.)	
	Nos. 1460 and 1461, dated 31st December 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Brigadier Hodgson, Commanding Punjab Irregular Force, and Major Chamberlain.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Brigadier Hodgson, Commanding Punjab Irregular Force, and Major Chamberlain, for information. (D.)	
366	No. 114, dated 12th December 1850 From—Lieutenant Lumsden, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Robberies in the Pesháwar cantonment.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar reports to the Board the frequent occurrence of robberies in the cantonment of Pesháwar and recommends that the Arbabs or heads of the surrounding villages be held responsible for all property carried through their limits. (O.)	Nos. 44&44½.

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366—*concld.*	No. 1462, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Robberies in the Peshâwar cantonment.	Referring to the preceding letter, the Secretary to the Board of Administration suggests to the Government of India that Lieutenant Lumsden be authorized to carry out the measure proposed by him, and recommends that an order be issued prohibiting the carrying of arms in the town and cantonment of Peshâwar except under licenses to be given to parties of known respectability. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th January 1851— Nos 44 & 44½.
367	No. 1463—714, dated 31st December 1850. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Posting of a regiment of Punjab Infantry to Hazára.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Government of India a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hazára remonstrating against the introduction of a regiment of Punjab Infantry into Hazára. Observes that the Board do not see the weight of that officer's objections to the measure, and solicit the orders of the Governor-General thereon. (D.)	No. 45.
368	29th December 1850 ... From—Lieutenant-Colonel A. Abbott, C.B, Inspector of Magazines, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Chaukidars for camps in the Jhelum District.	Lieutenant-Colonel A. Abbott, Inspector of Magazines, reports to the Board the difficulty and inconvenience experienced by him in obtaining chaukidars to guard his camp at Jhelum. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th January 1851— Nos. 5-7.
	No. 11, dated 6th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. States that the Board regard the provision of chaukidars for guarding camps of public officers as part of any well-regulated system of town and village Police, and no individual hardship can occur where officers and travellers are prepared to pay any charge that may be fixed by the Civil Officers Observes that the Board expect that Mr. Bowring will make better arrangements for the future. (D.)	
	No. 12, dated 6th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Colonel Abbott.		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to Colonel Abbott for his information. (D.)	
369	No. 400, dated 28th December 1850 From—The Commissioner of the Multân Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Restoration of two buffaloes to one Dara Singh, zamindar.	The Commissioner of the Multân Division solicits the Board's sanction to the restoration of two buffaloes to one Dara Singh, a zamindar, whose property was confiscated after annexation, and observes that the buffaloes were at that period under charge of a herdsman who concealed them up to the present time when they were traced and identified by Dara Singh.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 17, dated 7th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multân Division.		With reference to the above letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration sanctions the restoration of the buffaloes to Dara Singh, zamindar. (D.)	

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370	No. 14, dated 7th January 1851 ... From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Repairs to the bridge-of-boats over the Ravi.	The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, reports to the Board that the bridge-of-boats across the Ravi is impassable, and as it will be required immediately to cross His Majesty's 9th Lancers, requests that orders may be issued for repairing it without delay (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th January 1851—Nos. 19-20.
	No. 18, dated 7th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Hill in charge of Civil Engineers' Department.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to Lieutenant Hill, in charge of the Civil Engineer's Department, with the request that he will see to the construction of the bridge at once. (D.)	
371	No. 677, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prison labour	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1431, dated 28th December 1850, the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore furnishes a statement showing how the prisoners in the Lahore Jails are at present employed, and states that it is not at present in his power to afford Major Glasford any assistance in regard to placing prisoners under his orders. (O.)	
	No. 21, dated 8th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of the Punjab Division.		In reply to his letter, dated 22nd December 1850, applying for a party of prisoners to be employed at Mián Mír, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of the Punjab a copy of the above letter, and states that as it was resolved last year to devote prison labour in a great degree to the building of jails and Civil public offices, the Board see no remedy but to resort to hired labour for the future for roads and other improvements in cantonments. (D.)	
372	No. 135, dated 9th January 1851 ... From—Lieutenant Hill, Engineers, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Bridge-of-boats across the Rávi.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 18, dated 7th January 1851, Lieutenant Hill, Engineers, states that, owing to the want of boats and material, he cannot complete the bridge-of-boats across the present flood of the Ravi, but that he has made other arrangements to facilitate the crossing of His Majesty's 9th Lancers. (O.)	Nos. 51-2.
	No. 31, dated 9th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, for the information of the Major-General. (D.)	
373	No. 678, dated 31st December 1850 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a prisoner named William Hamilton.	The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore forwards to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner of Wazírabad which accompanied a prisoner named William Hamilton *alias* Shamsher Khan and solicits instructions regarding his disposal. (O.)	Nos. 53-6.

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373—*concld.*	No. 2811, dated 10th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a prisoner named William Hamilton.	In reply to the Deputy Secretary's letter No. 481, dated 3rd December 1850, regarding the disposal of the prisoner named in the preceding letters, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General does not suppose that Mr. Hamilton had any design to join an enemy, though he was on his way to Kábul, and therefore directs that he be informed that if he again attempt to proceed to any foreign territory he will be put under restraint. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th January 1851— Nos. 53-6.
	No. 32, dated 9th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, with a request that the prisoner may be released after he has been warned in the terms of the letter. (D.)	
374	No. 25, dated 2nd January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Judicial administration of Lahore Division.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 648, dated 4th December 1850, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Governor-General's unqualified satisfaction with the report submitted therewith on the judicial administration of the Lahore Division, and requests that His Lordship's warmest thanks may be conveyed to Mr. Montgomery, the Commissioner, for his exertions, and his acknowledgments also to the several officers who have served in the Division and exerted themselves in their several spheres, also directs that a report, similar to that of Mr. Montgomery's, may be called for from every Commissioner and submitted to Government by the Board in an embodied form with their observations and remarks thereon.	Nos. 57-8.
	No. 33, dated 9th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the subject of the above letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and requests he will convey to the officers serving under him the acknowledgments of the Governor-General for their services. (D.)	
375	No. 22, dated 2nd January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Dismantling a portion of the Lahore City walls.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 518, dated 27th December 1850, regarding the dismantling of a portion of the Lahore City walls the Secretary to the Government of India mentions the orders that have been issued to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, on the subject, and states that the Governor-General has placed the services of Lieutenant Fagan temporarily at the disposal of the Board to superintend the work. (O.)	Nos. 66-8.
	No. 38, dated 11th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Executive Engineer of Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Executive Engineer of Lahore, and states that Lieutenant Fagan has been instructed to place himself under his orders in view to being employed upon the duty assigned him by Government. (D).	

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375—*concld.*	No. 39, dated 11th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Fagan.	Dismantling a portion of the Lahore City walls.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that Lieutenant Fagan will place himself under the orders of the Executive Engineer, Lahore. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th January 1851— Nos. 66-8.
376	No. 9, dated 1st January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Major Goldney as an Extra Assistant Superintendent of Thaggi.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated 21st December 1850, recommending that Major Goldney, Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, might be appointed Extra Assistant Superintendent of Thaggi in the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States in succession to Mr. Campbell, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General will be prepared to assent to this proposition on its coming before him from the General Superintendent of Thaggi. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th January 1851— Nos. 19-19½.
	No. 46, dated 15th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi. (D.)	
377	Circular Nos. 50-2, dated 16th January 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Jhelum, Leiah and Multan Divisions, and Deputy Commissioners of Peshawar and Hazára.	Reports upon the judicial administration.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration calls upon Commissioners for general reports upon the judicial administration of their respective divisions since the annexation of the Country in view to their being embodied in a report to be submitted by the Board to Government as soon after the 1st April 1851 as possible. (D.)	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 51, dated 16th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for his information a copy of the above circular, and observes that any further information which he may supply in addition to the report already submitted by him will be embodied in the Board's report to Government. (D)	
378	No. 1203, dated 11th January 1851 From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Bridge-of-boats at Phillaur.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1423, dated 27th December 1850, the Civil Engineer of the Punjab furnishes his opinion as to the improvement of the bridge-of-boats at Phillaur. Observes that two boats are now being constructed on a new model by Lieutenant Hill, and should they answer all expectations a portable model can be supplied for transmission to Ludhiána, and in the meantime recommends that the construction of the new bridge be deferred. (O.)	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 54, dated 16th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		Referring to his letter No. 316, dated 3rd June 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information a copy of the preceding letter with a request that he will direct the local authorities at Ludhiána to make the best arrangements they can for securing a bridge until the return of Colonel Napier from his tour with the Governor-General when the Board will again take up the subject. (D.)	

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379	No. 7, dated 9th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Robberies in the Pesháwar Cantonment.	In acknowledging the receipt of the Board's letter No. 711, dated 31st December 1850, respecting robberies in the Pesháwar Cantonment, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the orders and observations of the Governor-General on the rules proposed for putting a stop to those robberies. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 18th January 1851— Nos. 56-8.
	No. 57, dated 17th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, and requests that he will carry out the orders of Government as therein conveyed and draw up as early as possible a report setting forth his views on all points connected with certain rules still under consideration. (D.)	
	No. 58, dated 17th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In continuation of the Board's letter No. 711, dated 31st December 1850, on the subject of robberies in the Pesháwar Cantonment, the Secretary to the Board of Administration transmits to the Secretary to the Government of India for submission to the Governor-General a copy of a letter with enclosures on the same subject from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, and states that a further communication will be made on receipt of the Deputy Commissioner's reply to the foregoing letter. (D.)	
380	No. 11, dated 7th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Franking of letters of new Police Corps.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore enquiring whether the men of the new Police Corps are to be allowed the privilege of having their letters franked. (O.)	Nos. 61-3.
	No. 61, dated 18th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for favour of orders. (D.)	
381	No. 4, dated 16th January 1851 ... From—Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reduction of the Labore City walls.	In acknowledging receipt of Board's letter No. 39, dated 11th January 1851, Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, reports what arrangements he has made for the reduction of the city walls and the supply of bricks for the Mián Mír Cantonment.	No. 66.
			No order.	
382	No. 105, dated 8th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Posting of a regiment of Punjab Infantry to Hazára.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated 31st December 1850, submitting with remarks the remonstrance of Major Abbott, Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, against the introduction of a Regiment of Punjab Infantry into his district, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the orders of the Governor-General as to the Police arrangements that may be made without disturbing those of Major Abbott or interfering with his peculiar views. (O.)	Nos. 69-70.

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382—*concld*	No. 64, dated 18th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.	Posting of a regiment of Punjab Infantry to Hazára.	A copy of the above and of the Board's letter to which it is a reply is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Hazára for his information. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th January 1851— Nos. 69-70.
383	No. 15, dated 16th January 1851 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Demolition of the late Darbar Toshakhana, etc.	The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore forwards to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Garrison Engineer to his address, with enclosure, from the Superintending Engineer of the Punjab Circle directing the immediate demolition of the late Darbar Toshakhana and buildings adjacent. States that the Toshakhana at present contains Government property which cannot be removed in less than a week, and requests that an application be made to the military authorities to suspend the work of destruction for that period.	Nos. 76-9.
	No. 69, dated 18th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Brigadier Tennant.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above to Brigadier Tennant, and states that the Board will be obliged by his issuing the necessary orders for postponing the destruction of the buildings therein referred to. (D.)	
384	No. 1157, dated 30th December 1850 From—Lieutenant Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Erection of jails.	The Civil Engineer furnishes to the Board a plan and an estimate for a second class District Jail suited for the accommodation of 250 prisoners in the main wards, with 20 separate cells and a female ward to contain 8 prisoners, and observes that if the work is constructed by an experienced Magistrate with the aid of prisoners it should not cost more than Rs. 7,000. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th January 1851— Nos. 20-23.
	No. 80, dated 21st January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits a copy of the above to the Secretary to the Government of India, with a proposition for the erection of jails according to the plan proposed by Colonel Napier at most of the stations in the Punjab and at Hoshiárpur and Thánesar in the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States, and observes that at Multán and Ráwalpindi the Board propose to have Central Jails erected capable of accommodating 600 or 800 prisoners, plans of which are under preparation and will be hereafter submitted for the approval of the Governor-General. (D.)	
	No. 81, dated 21st January 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Civil Engineer to furnish the Board with plans and estimates for the erection of a jail capable of accommodating 800 prisoners, a female ward and cells for solitary imprisonment forming a portion of the plan. (D.)	

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385	No. 2889, dated 16th December 1850 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Petition from Jasmal, an inhabitant of Multán.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Board in original a petition from one Jasmal, an inhabitant of Multán, praying for an investigation into the accusations brought against him of having aided the *ex*-Diwan Mulraj, and requests that the Board will furnish a report on the matter. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th January 1851—Nos. 27-9.
	No. 83, dated 22nd January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above to the Commissioner of the Multán Division, with a request that he will report on the confiscation of the property of the complainant. (D.)	
386	No. 85, dated 22nd January 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Judicial powers for Commissioners and other officers.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India, for the consideration of the Governor-General, proposals for rendering the administration of civil and criminal justice more prompt within the territories subject to the Board by investing Commissioners with power to pass sentence upon the record of the trial of the Deputy Commissioner's Court in certain classes of committed cases, and Tahsildars, Kotwals or any other Revenue and Police officers below the rank of an Extra Assistant with the whole or part of the powers belonging to the office of Joint Magistrate, Deputy Collector and Subordinate Judicial Officer. (D.)	No. 35.
387	No. 31, dated 18th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Sentence passed on *ex*-Raja of Rhotas.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, and recommends that the *ex*-Raja of Rhotas, sentenced to suffer three years' imprisonment in banishment, be allowed to complete that term in the Lahore Jail where he now is. (O.)	Nos. 51-3.
	No. 91, dated 24th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration approves of the proposal contained in the preceding letter. (D.)	
388	No. 10, dated 16th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Movements and seditious proceedings of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	In acknowledging the receipt of the Board's letter No. 699, dated 27th December 1850, forwarding copies of reports submitted by the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States respecting the movements and seditious proceedings of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh prior to his capture, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General desires that his thanks may be conveyed to Mr. McLeod and Mr. Vansittart for what they have jointly and individually done in the matter, and requests that the Commissioner may be called on to explain more fully his observation that a large proportion of the acts of violence which have been committed since the Punjab became a British Province have been caused by what he terms "Our resumption rules." (D.)	Nos. 60-61.

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388—*concld.*	No. 96, dated 24th January 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Movements and seditious proceedings of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States with a copy of the above letter with the request he will comply with the wishes of the Governor-General as therein expressed. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th January 1851— Nos. 60-61.
389	No. 109, dated 19th January 1851... From—Brigadier Tennant, Commanding at Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Dismantling of the Toshakhana building in the citadel.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 69, dated 18th January 1851, Brigadier Tennant, Commanding at Lahore, states that he has directed the Garrison Engineer to defer pulling down the Toshakhana building in the citadel. No order.	Nos. 73-4.
390	No. 3453, dated 22nd January 1851 From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Filling up of a hollow near European barracks at Anárkali.	The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, requests that 500 convicts be, if possible, placed at the disposal of the Garrison Engineer at Lahore for the purpose of *filling* up a hollow between the European barracks at Anárkali which in the rainy season becomes filled with water. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st February 1851— Nos. 24-5.
	No. 107, dated 27th January 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, with a copy of a letter written to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, in reply to an application made by that officer for a certain number of convicts to be employed in the cantonment at Mián Mír, and states that it is totally out of the Board's power to place the services of 500 convicts at the disposal of the Garrison Engineer. (D.)	
391	No. 7, dated 20th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Grant of magisterial powers to Mr. Temple.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States recommends to the Board that the magisterial powers conferred on Messrs. Scott and Melvill, Settlement Officers of the Trans-Sutlej States, be granted to Mr. Temple also for the trial of cases arising in his own camp, and in which his immediate subordinates may be concerned. (D.)	Nos. 27-9.
	No. 109, dated 27th January 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration solicits the sanction of Government to the recommendation contained in the preceding letter. (D.)	
392	No. 1264, dated 22nd January 1851 From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Waif timber of the Ravi, etc.	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab suggests that the Executive Engineer of the Bari Doab Canal be authorized to collect all the waif timber of the Rávi and other streams in the Kángra District and credit Government with the value thereof.	Nos. 72-4.
	No. 128, dated 29th January 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		With reference to the above letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab that the Board see no objection to the proposition, but stipulate that the Executive Engineer pay over to the Deputy Commissioner of Kángra annually the value of the timber he may collec t,thereby making it an asset for localu rposes pwhich it otherwise would not be. (D.)	

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392—*concld.*	No. 129, dated 29th January 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Waif timber of the Ravi, etc.	In continuation of letter No. 1103, dated 5th October 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for information. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st February 1851— Nos. 72-4
393	No. 131, dated 29th January 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Removal of the bridge-of-boats across the Ravi to Shahdara.	It having been suggested to the Board that the removal of the bridge-of-boats (across the Ravi) to the village of Shahdara would be promotive of economy and might at the same time save a considerable distance in the line of road, the Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to communicate with the Deputy Commissioner on the subject, informing him that Lieutenant Fagan, in charge of the bridge-of-boats, is at liberty to make the suggested change at once, and observes that Lieutenant Fagan will be requested to bring to the notice of the Road Department of Colonel Napier's office the extent of the change in order that the question of making it a permanent one may be subject to such examination of levels and floods as may be proper. (D.)	No. 77.
394	Circular No. 146—4, dated 5th February 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Safe custody of prisoners at work and the murder of a Barkandaz by a convict.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that a case has lately come under the Board's notice in which a Barkandaz was murdered by a convict while guarding a detached party. Calls the attention of Commissioners and others to the Board's circular No. 18, dated 10th May 1850, with its enclosure, being copy of instructions issued by the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to the officers of his Division for ensuring the safe custody of prisoners at work, and requests that the scale of guards therein laid down may be observed as an invariable rule. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th February 1851— No. 32.
395	No. 14, dated 28th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Assault by Mr. Matthews, a European British subject, upon a servant of the Maharaja of Patiála.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Board copy of a letter from the Superintendent of the Hill States soliciting sanction to bring to trial Mr. Matthews, a European British subject, charged with an aggravated assault in the Patiála territory upon a servant of the Maharaja. Observes that he can see no ground for the doubts expressed by Mr. Edwardes as to whether he can take cognizance of the offence under Statute 53, Geo. III, and therefore requests that the required permission of the Board be granted.	Nos. 38.
	No. 149, dated 5th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board authorize the Superintendent of Hill States to bring Mr. Matthews to trial, remarking that when an offence comes clearly within the wording of clauses 3, 4 and 5, Act 31, 1838, the duty of the Magistrate is to commit the case to the Supreme Court as a felony.	

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			But when it admits of being viewed as a simple assault, a consideration for the convenience of the prosecutor and witnesses would point to the propriety of the Magistrate exercising his summary power under C. 53, Geo. III.	Progs. for the week ending 8th February 1851.
396	No. 241, dated 25th January 1851... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Repairing the Pilgrim Hospital at Ferozepore, etc.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 23, dated 11th January 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General has no objection to the Board's proposal that a sum of Rs. 350 may be disbursed in repairing the building known as the "Pilgrim Hospital" at Ferozepore so as to adapt it to the purposes of a dispensary and an expenditure of Rs. 100 per mensem for an establishment to keep it up, but observes that His Lordship is of opinion that the proceeds of the Ferry Fund could not properly be applied to a hospital. (O.)	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 161, dated 7th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		Referring to his letter No. 3, dated 2nd January 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, for his information, a copy of the preceding letter, observing that the Board regard Sir Henry Elliot's letter as conveying a sanction to the Board's proposal, but not determining to what fund the expenditure on account of the dispensary should be debited and will therefore furnish further instructions on this latter point. (D.)	
397	No. 1246, dated 16th January 1851 From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Supplies of lime from the Kángra District.	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab forwards to the Board of Administration a correspondence submitted by Lieutenant Dyass, Executive Engineer, Bari Doab Canals, regarding difficulties experienced by him in getting supplies of lime from the Kángra District owing to the opposition offered by the Thanadar at Pathánkot, and requests that orders be issued to ensure every assistance being afforded to Lieutenant Dyass. Refers also to his letter No. 1089, dated 4th December 1850, respecting the transfer to the Lahore Division of the land between the rivers Ravi and Beas up to the foot of the hills, and hopes the suggestion has been approved of. (O.)	No. 86.
	8th February 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, and requests he will ascertain the truth of the matter of complaints and arrange that no difficulties hereafter occur, as the Board regard it as of great importance that no impediment of any kind should be offered to the progress of the works under the Engineers of the Bari Doab Canals. (D.)	

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398	No. 2, dated 2nd January 1851 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Use of sowars by Civil Officers.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Board copies of the letters addressed to Major Goldney, the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, by Mr. Wedderburn (late Officiating Deputy Commissioner at Ludhiána), and Lieutenant Need, 2nd-in-Command of the 14th Irregular Cavalry, the former complaining of the insolent conduct of certain sowars in refusing to accompany him at a canter while travelling in the interior of the district and the latter representing the harsh treatment to which Mr. Wedderburn subjected the sowars in consequence, and observes that in his opinion Mr. Wedderburn did not act "unjustifiably" in adopting the measures he did to compel the sowars to attend his Kutchery for the purpose of recording their depositions as to the orders under which they acted in refusing to canter their horses. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th February 1851—Nos. 97-103.
	No. 21, dated 10th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above letter the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Board copy of a letter addressed to him by Lieutenant Need enclosing in original petitions from the sowars alluded to in the foregoing correspondence complaining of having been disgraced by Mr. Wedderburn's proceedings on the occasion therein referred to. (O.)	
	No. 168, dated 8th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates to the Secretary to the Government of India the circumstances that have led to the preceding correspondence, and in forwarding a copy to be laid before the Governor-General observes that in order to avoid similar collisions in future some change in the present system seems necessary; also recommends that so long as mounted duty in the Cis-and Trans-Sutlej States is taken by Irregulars, two full Risalahs should be allowed for Ludhiana and two for Jullundur from different regiments without *European* officers, to be relieved half-yearly, and remarks that the Board have issued positive instructions against Civil Officers using sowars except upon public duty. (D.)	
399	No. 29, dated 31st January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Tajak, prisoner.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division submits to the Board proceedings in the case of Tajak, a prisoner, convicted of having severely wounded Jodh Singh, sepoy, with intent to murder him and of having attempted to wound two other sepoys while they were in the act of apprehending him. Observes that the prisoner in his defence merely states that he is a "Sheorani," and had come down from the hills with the intent of killing the first Sikh or Hindu he met with, his object being to obtain the distinction of a "Ghazi" if he succeeded, or the reward of martyrdom in the next world if he lost his own life, and recommends therefore that sentence of death be passed on the culprit. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th February 1851—Nos. 19-21.

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399—*concld.*	No. 177, dated 12th February 1851.. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Case of Tajak, prisoner.	With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division an English abstract of the Board's proceedings convicting the prisoner of the crime laid to his charge, and with reference to the orders of Government empowering the Board to inflict capital punishment in crimes of violence, accompanied by aggravated circumstances, sentences the prisoner to suffer death. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th February 1851—Nos. 19-21.
400	No. 21, dated 4th February 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Striking of a prisoner by Mr. Morris, Assistant Commissioner.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States furnishes to the Board an explanation submitted by Mr. Morris, Assistant Commissioner at Hoshiárpur, in reply to the charge of having struck repeatedly with a cane a prisoner named Randhir Singh who was some time ago convicted of wilful murder and sentenced by the Board to suffer seven years' imprisonment. Observes that to Mr. Morris' inexperience may be attributed his having awarded stripes as a judicial punishment for what he considered contempt of court in the prisoner's violent demeanour and not to intentional harshness which would be opposed to his general conciliatory bearing towards natives, and recommends therefore that the Board will overlook the irregularity of his proceedings in the case under review. (O.)	Nos. 22-5.
	No. 178, dated 12th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that it is a matter of great regret to the Board that Mr. Morris should have so far forgotten official rules and proprieties as to order the infliction of any punishment that could be regarded as an indignity upon a man complaining of the abduction of his wife and whose wounded feelings should have entitled him to consideration and pity even if the law permitting corporal punishment for contempts of court had not long since been repealed, and adds that the inexperience of Mr. Morris and his general kindly disposition may be allowed to plead in his favour in the present instance, but that he will fail greatly in his future career of public duty if he does not invariably bear in mind the Board's view of this subject. (D.)	
401	No. 15, dated 28th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cognizance of complaints against European British subjects.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States submits to the Board a copy of correspondence with the Advocate-General regarding the construction of Acts of Parliament, which relate to the cognizance by the Civil Magistrate of assaults or other acts of violence, not felony, committed by European British subjects (being officers or soldiers) against natives of India. Observes that the Advocate-General has furnished his opinion in a communication which he desires may be considered private, and therefore requests that the Board will obtain it in an official form. (O.)	Nos. 26-9.

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401—*concld*	No. 179, dated 12th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Cognizance of complaints against European British subjects.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration suggests that the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, will recast the question submitted by him to the Advocate-General after a reference to the later Mutiny Acts when the Board will forward the case to the Advocate-General, and remarks that it is not the province of the Board to give opinions upon doubtful points of English Law, but mentions their view of the question involved in the present reference. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th February 1851—Nos. 26-9.
402	No. 356, dated 6th February 1851 . From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Investment of Mr. Temple, Settlement Officer, with magisterial powers.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 63, dated 27th January 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General has been pleased to vest Mr. Temple, Settlement Officer, Trans-Sutlej States, with magisterial powers as therein recommended.	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 203, dated 14th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	
403	No. 808, dated 17th February 1851... From—The Executive Engineer of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Demolition of the old Sikh Lines in Anárkali.	The Executive Engineer of the Lahore Division solicits the Board's opinion on the subject of demolishing such of the old Sikh Lines in Anárkali as are not required. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd February 1851—Nos. 48-9
	No. 233, dated 20th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to state his opinion on the proposal. (D.)	
404	No. 49, dated 25th January 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Attack upon Mr. Blyth by the followers of Bhai Maharaj Singh.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board an abstract of proceedings in the case of Baj Singh, Rupa Singh and Wazir Singh, convicted of having been associates of Bhai Maharaj Singh, and of having taken part in the wounding of Mr Blyth and other persons on his establishment and the murder of a Barkandaz named Fatteh Khan. Observes that he considers this attack upon Mr. Blyth by the followers of Bhai Maharaj Singh (who had not long before been captured) to have originated in a vindictive feeling against the British and not merely for the sake of plunder, and recommends that Baj Singh and Rupa Singh be sentenced to suffer capital punishment, Wazir Singh having died in jail on the close of his trial. (O.)	Nos. 84-6.
	No. 246, dated 22nd February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division an English abstract of the Board's proceedings expressing their concurrence in the view taken of the case by the Commissioner as regards the origin of the attack upon Mr. Blyth, and sentencing the prisoners to suffer death as recommended. (D.)	

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405	No. 105, dated 18th February 1851... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Materials for the Siálkot Cantonment.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board in original a letter from Lieutenant Heath reporting the progress made by him in furnishing materials for the Siálkot Cantonment, together with his (Commissioner's) reply thereto. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1851— Nos. 14-17.
	No. 256, dated 24th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		With reference to the above the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of Lahore that the Board consider the report satisfactory in so far as Lieutenant Heath is concerned. Requests he will enjoin on that officer to be most particular in keeping a record of all he does and in having written agreements for all dealings; and, with reference to the practice of plundering carried on by camelmen in the territory of Maharaja Gulab Singh, observes that the fine levied on them should be given to the parties plundered, and if the offence be repeated, the offenders should be made over to the civil authority to be dealt with according to law. (D.)	
406	No. 13, dated 20th February 1851... From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Attack by robbersu pon Captain Grantham of Her Majesty's 98th Foot.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar reports to the Board an attack by robbers upon Captain Grantham of Her Majesty's 98th Foot and Miss Curling as they were returning from their ride to cantonments, and observes that five men were concerned by whom Captain Grantham was knocked down and much mutilated, and that he has taken upon himself to offer a reward of Rs. 1,000 for their capture. (O.)	Nos. 21-4.
	No. 258, dated 25th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above to the Secretary to the Government of India, together with copy of the following reply addressed by the Board to the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, and expresses their regret at this deplorable occurrence. (D.)	
	No. 259, dated 25th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply to the letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board rely upon his strenuous and unceasing exertions to bring the offenders to justice and approve of the reward already offered which, if necessary, may be enhanced to Rs 500 for each of the individuals concerned. Directs that he will take measures to ascertain the probability of the robbers having concealed themselves without the knowledge of the villagers in whose lands the attack took place, and if this be unlikely, to hold the village responsible; and requests also that constant patrols be made round cantonments and officers warned against being out after dusk. (D.)	

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407	No. 22, dated 5th February 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	System of resumption of Jagirs.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 96, dated 24th January 1851, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States furnishes the Board with an explanation of the terms used by him in the 63rd paragraph of his report upon the proceedings of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh as regards the extent to which the resumption system has been productive of crime. The Commissioner observes that it was not his intention to condemn the measure (*i.e.*, the resumption of jagirs), but merely to point out the policy of carrying it into effect gradually and cautiously. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1851— Nos. 43½-44
	No. 264, dated 26th February 1851.. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply to his letter No. 10, dated 16th January 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, for submission to the Governor-General, with the observations of the Board upon the subject to which it refers. (D.)	
408	No. 116, dated 21st February 1851... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Demolition of the Old Sikh Lines in Anárkali.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 233, dated 20th February 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division states that he is aware of no objection to the demolition of the Old Sikh Lines in Anárkali, and thinks that as a sanitary measure their removal is desirable. (O.)	Nos. 53-4.
	No. 269, dated 26th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Executive Engineer of Lahore.		In reply to his letter No. 808, dated 17th February 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates to the Executive Engineer of Lahore that the Board have no objection to the demolition of the Old Sikh Lines, and communicates the opinion expressed by the Commissioner of the Lahore Division in the preceding letter. Observes that the Board presume he will act under the orders of the Military authorities. (D.)	
409	No 7, dated 19th February 1851 .. From—Major Chamberlain, Commandant of Police, To - The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Assumption of command of the Punjab Police by Major Chamberlain.	Major Chamberlain, Commandant of Police, reports to the Board that he has been relieved of the charge of the Hazára District, and that he has assumed command of the Punjab Police. States that he intends staying a few days at Hazára to assist Lieutenant Edgell in the reorganization of the Hazára Battalion, and that he will then proceed to the Governor-General's camp and thence to Lahore. (O.)	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 273, dated 27th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Chamberlain, Commandant of Police.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests Major Chamberlain will take occasion to inspect the Police at Ráwalpindi, Jhelum, Gujrát and Wazírabad on his way to Lahore. (D.)	

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410	No. 70, dated 6th February 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	A gang of dacoits infesting the Mánjah.	Referring to the existence of a gang of dacoits who infest the Mánjah and for whose apprehension all efforts hitherto made have proved unsuccessful, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division requests that Sardar Jaimal Singh, Tahsildar of Batála, be vested with magisterial powers and placed at his disposal as an Extra Assistant for the purpose of being employed in tracking out the gang, with a suitable establishment at a cost of Rs. 100 per mensem. Suggests also that the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States be required to afford the Tahsildar (through their District Officers) all the aid and co-operation in their power. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1851— Nos. 64-6.
	No. 275, dated 27th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division the Board's sanction to the appointment of Sardar Jaimal Singh as Extra Assistant with magisterial powers for six months for the purpose contemplated by the Commissioner, and authorizes an allowance of Rs. 100 per mensem for an establishment. (D.)	
	No. 276—7, dated 27th February 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States, and requests they will instruct their District Officers to afford Sardar Jaimal Singh all the aid in their power. (D)	
411	No 540, dated 22nd February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reduction of the Lahore City walls.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 83, dated 5th February 1851 the Secretary to the Government of India states that Lieutenant Fagan is to be employed under the orders of the Board and the Civil Engineer in superintending the reduction of the Lahore City walls, but that the Governor-General holds Colonel Napier responsible that there is no hindrance in the supply of bricks to be afforded from it to the works at Mián Mír. (O.)	Nos. 74-6.
	No. 278, dated 28th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and with reference to the order contained in the preceding letter requests he will furnish his opinion on the suggestions contained in a letter No 3540, dated 15th January 1851, from the Superintending Engineer. (O.)	
	No. 279, dated 28th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the letter from the Government of India to the Superintending Engineer, and states that as the reduction of the Lahore City walls is to be conducted under Colonel Napier, his letter No. 3340, dated 15th January 1851, has been referred to that officer for his opinion. (D.)	

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412	No. 473, dated 12th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposals for improving the system of Civil and Criminal Justice.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 50, dated 22nd January 1851, submitting proposals for improving the system of Civil and Criminal Justice which at present obtains in the Punjab, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General assents to their being carried out. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1851— Nos. 85-6.
	Circular No. 285 – 5, dated 1st March 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and others.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes all Commissioners with certain rules laid down by the Board in order to render the administration of justice more prompt, to relieve parties from the expense of attendance on distant courts and to lessen to Commissioners the burden of judicial duty, and directs that they be henceforth adopted. (D.)	
413	No. 509, dated 20th February 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Franking letters	In reply to the Board's letter No 40, dated 18th January 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General thinks the privilege of having letters franked should not be extended to the officers and men of the new Police Corps. (O.)	Nos. 90-92.
	No. 287, dated 1st March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		Referring to his letter No. 11, dated 7th January 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. (D.)	
	No. 288, dated 1st March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commandant of Police.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the Commandant of Police. (D.)	
414	No. 30, dated 17th February 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Waif timber of the river Ravi.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 129, dated 29th January 1851, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Board a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kángra explaining the circumstances under which the waif timber of the river Ravi was farmed out by him. (O.)	Nos. 93-5.
	1st March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer.		Referring to the statement made in the Civil Engineer's letter, dated 22nd January 1851, to the effect that the waif timber of the Kángra District of 1850 was bought by a contractor for Rs. 350 and sold by him for Rs. 12,000, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Civil Engineer. (D.)	
415	No. 23, dated 25th February 1851 ... From—Major Goldney, Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Major Goldney as Extra Assistant General Superintendent of Thaggi.	Major Goldney, Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter notifying his appointment as Extra Assistant General Superintendent of Thaggi in the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States. (O.) No order.	No. 99.

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416	Circular No. 290—6, dated 3rd March 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Firearms for destruction of wild animals.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that in some parts of the Punjab wolves and hyenas are becoming troublesome owing to the people having been so completely disarmed that there is not a matchlock in a village. Requests Commissioners will remind District Officers that where villages are known to be well affected to Government there is no objection to the headmen having one or two matchlocks in their village; and where wolves and hyenas abound, if the people want a moderate number of matchlocks and are known to be loyally disposed, they might be supplied from the local stores, each man taking out a license for the same. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th March 1851— No. 1.
417	Circular No. 304—9, dated 5th March 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners.	Prohibition against the use of stocks.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers Commissioners to the Board's circular No. 6, dated 5th February 1850, against the use of stocks, the prohibition against the use of which does not appear to have been strictly attended to, and requests that all stocks be burnt forthwith; also observes that the Havalats are said to be filthy dungeon-like places where all classes of offenders and often witnesses are collected for the night. Directs that proper places be set apart for witnesses and authorizes Commissioners to pass small disbursements for the purpose. The attention of Commissioners is invited to Regulation VI of 1803, section XXV, and instructions are given for the grant of a money allowance to released convicts, and, with reference to the use of chains at night, Commissioners are informed that on this point the Board leave a discretion with District Officers, but that considerations of humanity require that the chain at night should be discontinued wherever it can be done with safety. (D.)	Nos. 45-45½.
	5th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára.		A copy of the above Circular is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára for information.	
418	No. 585, dated 25th February 1851... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of sowars for civil duty.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 99, dated 8th January 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India communicates the observations of the Governor-General upon the correspondence submitted therewith relative to the conduct of certain sowars of the 14th Irregular Cavalry while on detached duty with Mr. Wedderburn, Assistant Commissioner of Ludhiána. Requests that the Board will intimate to Mr. Wedderburn that the Governor-General views his conduct on the occasion with dissatisfaction, and states that the circumstances connected with Lieutenant Need's proceedings will be brought under the notice of the Commander-in-Chief.	Nos. 105-06.

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418—*concld.*		Employment of Sowars for civil duty.	With regard to the Board's suggestion that sowars for civil duty should in future be taken from two different regiments, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General considers that the breaking up of two regiments would be worse and more inconvenient than the present system. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th March 1851— Nos. 105-06.
	No. 325, dated 8th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		An extract from the above letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for information and communication to Mr. Wedderburn. (D.)	
419	No. 62, dated 17th February 1851... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Management of ferries and rates of toll.	In reply to the Board's circular No. 45, dated 18th December 1850, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Board copy of a circular issued by him to his District Officers directing them to give effect to the orders of the Government of the North-Western Provinces (published in the *Agra Government Gazette* of the 12th January 1851) in regard to the future management of ferries in the Cis-Sutlej States, and observes that it is for the Board to determine whether the rates of toll prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor for the North-Western Provinces are to be levied at the several ferries within his Division, these rates being too low to provide for their proper maintenance. (O.)	No. 109.
	No. 327, dated 8th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		With reference to the above letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration directs that the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, will adjust the rates of toll as local circumstances may require, but that the Board would be glad to see the same scale applied to all ghâts similarly situated in order that the public may know at every ghât the class to which it belonged and the toll fixed for that class. (D.)	
420	No. 107, dated 19th February 1851... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Improvemenst in the city of Amritsar and the chaukidari tax.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar intimating that he has been called upon by the Accountant to furnish vouchers for certain sums expended by him upon improvements in the city of Amritsar from the local funds (or chaukidari tax) collected therein. The Commissioner observes that as the tax is raised solely for local purposes, the disbursements might very properly be entrusted to the Deputy Commissioner of the district, and recommends that orders be issued empowering that officer to expend the funds in the watch, ward and improvement generally of the city, and that he be required at the same time to submit with his annual report a statement showing the amount collected and how expended. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th March 1851— Nos. 1-3.

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420—*concld.*	No. 330, dated 10th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Improvements in the city of Amritsar and the chaukidari tax.	With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration asks the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to supply a copy of the Accountant's letter alluded to in that of the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, and observes that it is not clear to the Board what cognizance the Accountant has of chaukidari collections. (D.)	Progs for the week ending 15th March 1851— Nos. 1-3.
	No. 25, dated 3rd March 1851 ... From—Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reduction of the Lahore City walls.	Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, forwards to the Board for orders copy of a letter received by him from Colonel Napier containing instructions in regard to the reduction of the Lahore city walls. (O.)	
	No. 331, dated 10th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, that the Board wish him to do as Colonel Napier desires. (D.)	
421	No. 358, dated 26th February 1851 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Returns of British subjects resident in India.	The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal forwards to the Board of Administration copies of papers respecting returns of British subjects resident in India, required for submission to the Court of Directors and requests that the Board will take measures for collecting the required information within the territories subject to their control. (O.)	Nos. 7-11.
	Circular No. 332—11, dated 10th March 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Deputy Commissioners under the Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes Deputy Commissioners with copies of the despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors alluded to in the preceding letter, and requests they will prepare and submit to the Board a correct return of all British subjects residing within their districts on the 31st March 1851. (D.)	
422	No. 131, dated 1st March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rates for wood supplied by the Agent of Maharaja Gulab Singh.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board copy of a correspondence with Lieutenant Heath and the Executive Engineer at Siálkot (Lieutenant Maxwell) regarding the rate at which wood for building purposes is to be supplied by the Agent of Maharaja Gulab Singh, and requests that the Board will decide the question.	Nos. 47-50.
	No. 340, dated 11th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the old prices (*i.e.*, the rate fixed by a Committee of Officers at Siálkot) should be continued unless altered in communication with Maharaja Gulab Singh. (D.)	

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423	No. 378, dated 14th October 1850 ... From—The Superintendent of the Hill States, To The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Hill State of Sangri.	The Superintendent of Hill States forwards to the Board Vernacular proceedings connected with the case of a man named "Ker," a subject of the Hill State of Sangri, who committed suicide in consequence of having been subjected to torture by one "Himtoo," a subject of the State of Kumharsein, to whom he was indebted. Observes that he has brought Himtoo to trial for the offence laid to his charge, who in his defence pleads that he was compelled to resort to a course not unusual in Native States, as in his case his own Chief and the Chief of Sangri took no notice of his claim. With reference therefore to this particular case and the fact that the Chief of Sangri is almost an idiot owing to which his territory is in a state of misgovernment, recommends that it be at once incorporated with the Government district of Kotgarh, that it be settled in the same manner as other Government districts, and that the present Chief be placed in the position of a jagirdar. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd March 1851— Nos. 9-10.
	No. 361, dated 17th March 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Superintendent of the Hill States to state precisely the date of Sangri coming under British rule, the age of the Chief, and whether he has or is likely to have any children, forwarding at the same time any vernacular papers that were made over by the Jullundur or other authorities with the Sangri estate, and all misls of cases in which complaints have been made against the Chief of Sangri. (D.)	
424	No. 304, dated 15th March 1851 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Return of British subjects residing in the Punjab.	In acknowledging receipt of the Board's circular No. 11, dated 11th March 1851, calling for the return of British subjects resident within his district, the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur enquires whether it is intended that the return shall include officers and men in the Military Cantonments and Military Officers on staff employ not resident in the Military Station. (O.)	Nos. 32-4.
	No. 370, dated 19th March 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiárpur.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur that Military Officers and men, whether detached on civil employ or serving with their regiments, are not to be included in the return called for. (D.) A copy of the above letter is forwarded to all Deputy Commissioners for their information and guidance. (D.)	

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425	No. 159, dated 14th March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Discovery of a cannon and some arms in Shekhúpura.	In reply to the Board's letter No 318, dated 7th March 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for the information of the Board, copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Shekhúpura reporting on the discovery of a cannon and some arms in his district. No order.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd March 1851— Nos. 62-3.
426	No. 41½, dated 4th March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	System of false coining.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States refers to the Board's letter No. 1226, dated 5th November 1850, and forwards a report submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur upon the extensive system of false coining carried on in the Jullundur Doab and elsewhere; also observes that much valuable information upon this subject (which has led to the detection and capture of several persons hitherto engaged in this occupation) has been obtained from certain prisoners in confinement on a promise of pardon, and solicits the Board's sanction thereto. (O.)	Nos. 68-71.
	No. 379, dated 22nd March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States to convey the Board's thanks to Mr. Brereton for the useful information contained in his report. States that the best mode of dealing with the offence of false coining will form the subject of the Board's future consideration, and in the meantime sanctions the pardon of the three prisoners referred to in his letter. (D.)	
427	No. 787, dated 13th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Lawlessness prevailing in the valley of Peshawar.	The Secretary to the Government of India remarks upon the lawlessness prevailing in the valley of Peshawar, especially in the vicinity of the cantonment and city, and the necessity that exists not only for improving the means whereby crime may be detected or prevented, but for enjoining a course of wholesome severity in inflicting due punishment on criminals when their offence is proved. States that the best consideration of the Governor-General will be given to this subject; in the meantime intimates that His Lordship has directed Mr. John Lawrence to try all prisoners now in the Peshawar Jail who have recently been apprehended on heavy charges, and adds that should they be found guilty and the crimes they have committed be such as to call for, or warrant legally, a sentence of death, the Governor-General will confirm that sentence and direct its execution forthwith. (O.) No order.	No. 72.

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428	No. 167, dated 20th March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reward to one Nathu for helping in the capture of fanatics.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division solicits the Board's sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 200 as an additional reward to a man named Nathu for services rendered by him in the capture of the fanatics who made an attack upon Mr. Blyth and a reward of Rs. 100 to Sardar Jaimal Singh to indemnify him for money expended in the same case. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th March 1851— Nos. 26-7.
	No. 393, dated 25th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys sanction to the disbursement of the reward alluded to above. (D.)	
429	No. 177, dated 24th March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Expenditure from chaukidari collections at Amritsar.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 330, dated 10th March 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar enclosing an extract from a memo. by the Accountant of the North-Western Provinces requiring vouchers for certain sums expended from the Chaukidari Fund of the Amritsar District upon improvements in the town (O.)	Nos. 64-7.
	No. 409, dated 29th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Accountant, Punjab Branch.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration addresses the Accountant of the Punjab Branch on the subject of the above letter, and remarks that the chaukidari collections alluded to are intended as a rate to meet chaukidari charges and those for cleansing and repairing the town which was the object of Act XV of 1837 and of Act XXVI of 1850; also states that the Board think it would be convenient if all disbursements for chaukidars could be entered in accounts on the Deputy Commissioner's responsibility and all expenditure for cleansing and improving the town on the pass of the Commissioner. (D.)	
430	No. 426, dated 2nd April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Gratuitous aid by the Civil Surgeon to families, &c.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India, for the decision of the Governor-General, a question which has arisen at Lahore as to whether the Civil Surgeon is under obligation to afford gratuitous aid to the families of Uncovenanted servants of the Government, and forwards copy of a correspondence between the Government of the North-Western Provinces and the Medical Board upon a similar question. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th April 1851— Nos. 30-31.

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431	From—J. Wedderburn, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Use of sowars by Civil officers.	Mr. J. Wedderburn, Assistant Commissioner, acknowledges receipt of an extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India communicating the observations of the Governor-General upon his conduct in connection with that of certain sowars of the 14th Irregular Cavalry, and requests to be furnished with a copy of the correspondence that elicited these observations.	Progs. for the week ending 5th April 1851— Nos. 48-9.
	No. 432, dated 3rd April 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—J. Wedderburn, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Mr. Wedderburn in reply that the Board think it unnecessary to comply with his request, the most important letter in the correspondence being his own to Major Goldney, giving an account of his proceedings in the matter referred to; but communicates an extract from paragraphs 1 to 7 of the Board's letter to Government on the subject.	
432	No. 192, dated 29th March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Enlistment of Sikhs and Punjabis for the Native Regular Army.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for the information of the Board, copy of a letter written by him to the Major-General Commanding the Division on the subject of aid that might be afforded by District Officers in enlisting Sikhs and Punjabis for the Native Regular Army. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th April 1851— Nos. 16-18.
	No. 442, dated 9th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Brigadier Sir C. Campbell, K.C.B., Commanding at Peshâwar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter, with its enclosure, to Brigadier Sir C. Campbell, K.C B., Commanding at Peshâwar, and states that the Board will be happy to give every assistance to recruiting parties, and that they would not object to District Officers enlisting men (should this be desired) and having them examined by a Surgeon and Military Officer. (D.)	
433	No. 195, dated 1st April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Destruction of stocks and the improvemen t of Havalats.	In reply to the Board's circular No. 9, dated 5th March 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division reports that all the stocks in use within his division have been destroyed, and that the Havalats are being enlarged and improved where necessary. (O.) No order.	No. 26.
434	Circular No. 455—15, dated 11th April 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners.	Rules for the administration of civil justice in the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration calls the attention of Commissioners to clause 7, section 1, of the Rules for the administration of civil justice in the Punjab, and observes that the inattention of officers exercising judicial functions to the rules referred to entails loss of time and loss of money to both plaintiff and defendant with no compensating advantage, the effect of which must be to bring great unpopularity upon our judicial institutions, since the natives of new countries can ill understand how the error of the judges is to be visited on the helpless and ignorant suitors. (D.)	No. 57.

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435	No. 85, dated 31st March 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	The statute of limitation.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Board copy of a circular issued by him to his District Officers directing them to check a practice adopted by mahajans for bringing old debts within the statute of limitation by fraudulent entries. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th April 1851— Nos. 59-61.
	No. 457, dated 12th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		The Commissioner of Multán is informed in reply that the Board of Administration approve of the circular issued by him. (D.)	
	Circular No. 458, dated 12th April 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners except the Commissioner of the Multán Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above correspondence to Commissioners, and states that the matter to which it relates is one to which the attention of District Officers may be drawn with advantage. (D.)	
436	No. 1809, dated 7th April 1851 ... From—The Accountant of the North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disbursements from the Chaukidari Funds.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 409, dated 29th March 1851, the Accountant of the North-Western Provinces states that in his opinion the Civil Auditor would not object to audit bills on account of disbursements from the Chaukidari Funds of the Amritsar District made under the sanction of the Board, the monthly charge for chaukidars being defrayed by authority of the Deputy Commissioner and supported by the Bakshi's receipts, etc. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th April 1851— Nos. 53-4
	No. 474, dated 16th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and requests that he will act in accordance with the Accountant's opinion. Also mentions that the Board will pass all expenditure that he (the Commissioner) may approve of. (D.)	
437	No. 773, dated 11th March 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Justices of the Peace.	The Secretary to the Government of India, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, states that the Governor General considers it expedient that there should be Justices of the Peace at several stations in the Punjab, and at Ambála in the Cis-Sutlej States, and directs that the Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners or Assistant Commissioners of those stations (not being officers holding any Regimental Commission) be sworn in for the purpose of enlisting or re-enlisting soldiers or other persons into Her Majesty's and the Hon'ble Company's services. (O.)	Nos. 76-7.
	Circular No. 486—19, dated 19th April 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States and Lahore and Jhelum Divisions and the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates to Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Peshawar and Hazára the orders contained in the preceding letter. (D.)	

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437—*concld*	No. 487, dated 19th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Justices of the Peace.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Secretary to the Government of India that the orders of the Governor-General contained in his letter have been carried out. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th April 1851— Nos. 76-7.
438	No. 109, dated 11th April 1851 . From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Outbreak in the jail of Dera Gházi Khan.	In continuation of his letter No. 66, dated 11th March 1851, the Commissioner of the Leiah Division, forwards to the Board copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan, furnishing further details of the recent outbreak in the jail at that station. Observes that in his opinion the jail establishment are in no way to blame, and states that the proceedings of the court of enquiry assembled to investigate the conduct of the jail guards on the occasion have been sub mitted to Brigadier Hodgson. (O.)	Progs for the week ending 26th April 1851— Nos. 7-11.
	No. 491, dated 22nd April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above to the Secretary to the Government of India for submission to the Governor General, together with a copy of the proceedings of the court of enquiry therein alluded to, and observes that the Board see nothing in these papers to confirm a suspicion that the outbreak was planned and effected with the connivance of the Jail establishment or the Military detachment acting as a guard over the prisoners, nor that the escape was favoured by any act of neglect on the part of the latter. States, however, that blame attaches to the Jail Darogha for allowing an insecure chain to remain in use, and that the Board have intimated to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division their opinion that he should be dismissed from his situation as an example to others. (D)	
439	No. 1235, dated 19th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Administration of criminal justice in the Trans-Sutlej States.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Board an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, expressing their satisfaction with the administration of criminal justice in the Trans-Sutlej States during the year 1848 as submitted in a report by Mr. McLeod, the Commissioner. (O.)	Nos. 32 3.
	No. 501, dated 25th April 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the papers to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, and expresses the satisfaction with which the Board have received the remarks of the Hon'ble Court. (D)	

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440	No. 1228, dated 18th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Travelling expenses to medical officers.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 368, dated 11th April 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General considers the Sub-Assistant Surgeon of Shekhúpura entitled to receive from Major Clarke the travelling expenses incurred by him when called upon to attend the Major's child and expresses the Governor-General's concurrence in the Board's opinion that medical officers are entitled to have their travelling expenses defrayed when compelled to attend officers out upon public duty in a distant part of a district. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th April 1851— Nos. 34-6.
	No. 502, dated 26th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to the Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi, for his information. (D.)	
	Circular No. 503—20, dated 26th April 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to Commissioners, and requests they will communicate to civil medical officers in their respective divisions the decision of Government as regards their claim to travelling allowance when summoned to remote parts of their charge. (D.)	
441	No. 1144, dated 14th April 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Remuneration to medical officers for attendance upon families, etc.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 324, dated 2nd April 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that, as a rule, the Governor-General is of opinion that medical officers are entitled to remuneration for attendance upon families of public servants whether Covenanted or Uncovenanted.	Nos. 42-4.
	No. 507, dated 26th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the correspondence to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, for his information. (D.)	
	Circular No. 508—21, dated 25th April 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára and the Superintendent of the Hill States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the orders to Commissioners and other officers for communication generally to the subordinate officers in their respective divisions. (D.)	
442	No. 1236, dated 19th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Suppression of crimes followed as professions in the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors expressing a hope that the Board have taken into consideration the importance of suppressing all crimes systematically followed in the Punjab as professions. No orders. (O.)	Nos. 45-6.

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443	From the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. Office Memo. No. 511, dated 28th April 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disease in Garhwál called "Mahamari."	The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces forwards to the Board 10 copies of a report on a disease prevailing in Garhwál locally called "Mahamari." (O.) Directed that copies of the above report be distributed. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd May 1851— Nos. 1-2.
444	No. 99, dated 12th April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. No. 536, dated 3rd May 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.	Prisoners concerned in the rebellion at Chiniot.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Board copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, with a list of prisoners concerned in the rebellion at Chiniot and now recommended for release. (O) In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board authorize the release of the whole body of prisoners, and direct that each man should receive subsistence allowance up to Rs. 5 to enable him to reach home. (D.)	Nos. 53-5.
445	No. 296, dated 30th April 1851 ... From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. No. 538, dated 5th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Timber required from the territory of Maharaja Gulab Singh.	In reply to the Board's letter No 469, dated 14th April 1851, the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Division, forwards to the Board a copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Jhelum explaining the circumstances under which some sepoys (who have now been recalled) were sent by him into the territory of Maharaja Gulab Singh to collect timber for public works. (O.) The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division a copy of the above letter with a copy of the Board's letter to which it is a reply, and requests he will give the Executive Engineer at Jhelum such help as he can and apply to Lieutenant Heath, in charge of the Wood Department, for any timber required from Maharaja Gulab Singh's territory. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th May 1851— Nos. 1-2.
446	No. 1237, dated 19th April 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. No. 539, dated 5th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division and the Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Site selected for the new jail at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Board an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors suggesting that measures be taken at once for ascertaining the salubrity of the site selected for the new jail at Lahore. (O.) The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter, with its enclosure, to the Commissioner, Lahore, and the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and requests they will make such remarks as may occur to them upon the points noticed therein. Also mentions that a committee will be assembled to report upon the healthiness of the site of the jail. (D.)	Nos. 3 6.

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446—*concld.*	No. 540, dated 5th May 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Brigadier Commanding at Lahore.	Site selected for the new jail at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addresses the Brigadier Commanding at Lahore, and states that the Board are desirous to have a Medical Committee assembled to report on the salubrity of the site selected for the new jail, and will be obliged if he will nominate the members, Dr. Hathaway being one of them. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th May 1851— Nos. 3-6.
447	No. 135, dated 26th April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Bhowana Singh, formerly Thanadar of Girang.	In reply to the Board's letters Nos. 172 and 441, dated 10th February and 9th April 1851, respectively, the Commissioner of the Leiah Division submits a report upon the case of Bhowana Singh, formerly Thanadar of Girang, who was sentenced by Major Edwardes to imprisonment for 10 years, and recommends that the unexpired portion of the sentence, *viz.*, six years, be remitted. (O.)	Nos. 48-50.
	No. 552, dated 7th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration sanctions the prisoner's release. (D.)	
448	No. 76, dated 23rd April 1851 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Musa Shah and other prisoners.	The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar forwards to the Board an abstract of proceedings in the case of Musa Shah and three other prisoners convicted of wounding Ali Muhammad and Fazal, the former of whom died subsequently from the effects of his wounds, and recommends therefore that the prisoners suffer the extreme penalty of the law. (O.)	Nos. 78-82.
	No. 563, dated 9th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer imprisonment for life with labour in irons, in banishment on the Continent of India, instead of capital punishment, and observes that the Board exempt the parties from transportation beyond seas because the people of the Peshâwar valley are a race on whose feelings they would not wish the sharpness of our system to fall except in cases where acts of plunder and opposition to authority are concerned (D.)	
449	No. 122, dated 5th May 1851 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Boat for the conveyance of the dâk over the Râvi.	The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore mentions to the Board that a boat has been kept up at a cost of Rs. 20 per mensem for the purpose of conveying dâks across the Râvi, the cost of which has hitherto been defrayed from the Toshakhana funds, and suggests that it be now made over to the Post Office authorities. (O)	Nos. 90-91.

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449—*concld.*	No. 568, dated 9th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Boat for the conveyance of the dâk over the Ravi.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration directs that the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore will in future charge the expense incurred in keeping up a boat to the Ferry Fund, and observes that a circular No. 419 was issued on this subject by the Board on the 9th July 1849. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th May 1851— Nos. 90-91.
450	No. 121, dated 27th April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Establishment of a dispensary and a hospital at Multán.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Board copy of a letter from the Civil Surgeon at Multán containing propositions for the establishment of a dispensary and hospital at that station. Observes that private subscriptions have been obtained sufficient to support the necessary establishment, and requests that the services of a native doctor may be placed at the disposal of the Civil Surgeon. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th May 1851— Nos. 10-12.
	No. 572, dated 12th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits a copy of the above letter and its enclosure to the Secretary to the Government of India, and states that the Board think that the charge of Rs. 45 per mensem for the establishment required for the dispensary and hospital is one which they are warranted in asking the Government to bear, and they further solicit that the expense of bazar medicines and diet to poor patients may be passed monthly, and that European medicines be supplied on indent from the Government Depôt. (D.)	
451	No. 182, dated 1st May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of an attempt at burglary in the Thánesar District.	In continuation of his letter No. 172, dated 28th April 1851, reporting an attempt at burglary attended with the murder of a policeman in the Thánesar District, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States reports that one of the parties concerned has been captured who, besides confessing his guilt, has named his accomplices, amongst whom are two notorious offenders. Observes that one of these two men belongs to an influential community of Rajputs owing to which he has hitherto evaded apprehension, though a reward of Rs. 300 has been offered for his capture; and adds that subject to the Board's confirmation he has authorized the Deputy Commissioner to enhance the amount to Rs. 500 and to offer Rs. 300 for the seizure of the other individual. (O.)	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 579, dated 15th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board approve of his having sanctioned the offer of the reward noted in his letter. (D.)	

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452	No. 596, dated 10th May 1851 ... From—Brigadier Tennant, C.B., Commanding at Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Site for the new jail at Lahore.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 540, dated 5th May 1851, Brigadier Tennant C. B., Commanding at Lahore, forwards to the Board the proceedings of a Medical Committee assembled to give their opinion upon the salubrity of the site selected for a new jail. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th May 1851— Nos. 45-8.
	No. 582, dated 15th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In continuation of the Board's letter No. 539, dated 5th May 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division a copy of the report alluded to in the above letter, and with reference to the declared inability of the Committee to give their opinion until the ditch and hollows surrounding the new jail are filled up, states that the Board wish him to do what he can to meet the wishes of the Committee and enable them to give an opinion. Also observes that if the committee unanimously declare that different arrangements (in regard to the ditch especially) are necessary before the place can be healthy, their opinion should be adopted and acted upon, although much expense and trouble may be involved. (D.)	
	No. 583, dated 15th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer.		In continuation of letter, dated 5th May 1851, regarding the site of the new jail, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter and its enclosures to the Civil Engineer for information. (D.)	
453	No. 263, dated 13th May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Daring dacoity committed on some Kábul merchants.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board copy of a letter, with enclosures, received by him from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, regarding a daring dacoity committed on some Kábul merchants between Delhi and Karnál by a gang of armed Sikhs; also copy of a letter written by him to the Deputy Commissioners of the Bari Doab urging them to take active measures for the capture of these men who are supposed to be the gang that have lately infested the Bari Doab and the Cis-Sutlej States. (O.)	Nos. 85-6.
	No. 596, dated 17th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division and Superintendent of Bhatti Territory.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter to the Commissioner of Multán and the Superintendent of the Bhatti Territory, and observes that the dacoits therein alluded to if hard pressed may get into the jungles in their quarter, and requests they will keep a sharp look out. (D.)	
454	Circular No. 24, dated 17th May 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára.	Measures for the destruction of wolves.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners observes that to check the ravages of wolves it is desired that in districts where they abound Deputy Commissioners will devise such measures as may seem likely to be most effective, and states that the	No. 87.

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			Board will be prepared to sanction the grant of muskets, etc., with free licenses to a limited number of marksmen in each thana, and besides the ordinary rewards sanction an additional head-money or the grant of small sums in rewards to men who do most to secure the country people from this pest. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th May 1851.
455	No. 229, dated 6th May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Oaths as Justices of the Peace.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits to the Board forms of oaths signed by the officers of his Division with the exception of Messrs. Carne and Wright, the former of whom being a Roman Catholic objects to taking the oath, and states that he (the Commissioner) has not insisted on Mr. Carne's calling upon Mr. Wright to do so.	Nos. 89-99.
	No. 600, dated 17th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that Mr. Carne must exercise his own discretion on a question of conscience, but that Mr. Wright should have the oaths administered to him. (D.)	
456	No. 186, dated 3rd May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	An anonymous petition containing imputations against Captain Larkins.	In acknowledging receipt of the Board's letter No. 186, dated 14th March 1851, forwarding an anonymous petition containing imputations against Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Board copy of a letter, with its enclosure, from that officer in refutation of the charges brought against him. Observes that during his recent tour through the Thánesar District he had opportunities of assuring himself that the people of the district had no cause for complaint in regard to Captain Larkins' administration, and further adds that in his opinion this officer's qualifications as a Deputy Commissioner have been very much underrated. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th May 1851— Nos. 14-17.
	No. 609, dated 20th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply to the Commissioner the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that it is highly satisfactory to the Board to receive his strong testimony in favour of Captain Larkins' efficiency, etc. Observes that the Board are far from encouraging anonymous petitions, and that they could hardly have taken less notice than they did of the petition in the present instance, and requests he will submit the misls relating to cases Nos. 5, 6 and 7 entered in the statement of dismissals submitted by Captain Larkins. (D.)	

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457	No. 610, dated 20th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Political prisoners.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India, for the consideration of the Governor-General, lists of 72 prisoners (followers of Mulraj and others taken in arms during the late rebellion) now confined in the Agra, Lahore and Multán Jails, and recommends their release. Observes that there would still remain in jail 103 political prisoners, and submits the views of the Board as regards the policy of declaring a general amnesty for all past offences, political and criminal, committed by parties previous to annexation who are now fugitives from the Punjab, with the exception of two persons, Gul Padshah and Durga Khan, influential men of the Pesháwar Valley. (D.)	Pogs. for the week ending 24th May 1851— Nos. 18-20.
458	No. 274, dated 17th May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Enlistment of Sikhs into the Regular Native Army.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board the correspondence called for by their letter No. 577, dated 15th May 1851, regarding the enlistment of Sikhs into the Regular Native Army. (O.)	Nos. 31½-2.
	No. 615, dated 23rd May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to enquire whether his District Officers do give every facility to Officers Commanding Regiments in enlisting Punjabis and Sikhs; and observes that it is not only necessary that Civil officers should comply with positive requisitions, but they should put themselves in communication with every Commanding Officer so as to remove prejudices and obstacles in the way of carrying out this most important measure. (D.)	
459	No. 122, dated 16th May 1851 ... From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Razi, a prisoner.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Board an abstract of proceedings in the case of Razi, a prisoner, convicted of attempting to murder Khalil, a sepoy of the Guide Corps, while in the execution of his duty. Observes that the prisoner is known to be the greatest burglar amongst the Afridis who infest the Pesháwar cantonments, and is supposed to have committed many murders, and recommends therefore that he be made an example of by being sentenced to suffer death. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st May 1851— Nos. 7-11.
	No. 632, dated 26th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar an abstract of the Board's proceedings with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer the extreme penalty of the law as recommended. (D.)	

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460	No 1433, dated 14th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Outbreak in the jail at Dera Gházi Khan.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 409, dated 22nd April 1851, containing further particulars regarding the recent outbreak in the jail at Dera Gházi Khan, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General considers the Deputy Commissioner, Mr. Van Cortlandt, deserving of censure for not having taken the commonplace precaution of having doors on his jail, and that the Commissioner of the Division cannot be held free from censure for having permitted such a state of things to exist. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st May 1851— Nos. 12-13.
	No. 633, dated 26th May 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division a copy of the preceding letter and of the report to which it is a reply for his information and for communication to the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Gházi Khan, and calls his attention to the impropriety of having no classification of prisoners, the consequence of which was that men under trial were in the same shed with sentenced convicts and others. (D.)	
461	No. 200, dated 23rd May 1851 ... From—The Superintendent of the Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report by Dr. Cannon on the operations of the Simla Hospital.	The Superintendent of the Hill States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a report submitted by Dr. Cannon on the operations of the Simla Hospital and Vaccine Establishments during the year from April 1850 to March 1851. Observes that in order to render the establishments successful the Medical Officer in charge of the latter should be permanently appointed, and recommends therefore that Dr. Cannon be appointed to the civil charge of the station of Simla for a period of five years. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th June 1851— Nos. 29-31.
	No. 668, dated 4th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of the preceding letter and its enclosure, and submits the recommendation of the Superintendent of Hill States for the appointment of Dr. Cannon, adding that the proposed measure will doubtless be advantageous. (D.)	
462	No. 680, dated 6th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Defence of the Peshawar frontier.	The question of the defence of the Peshawar frontier being now before the Governor-General, the Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India a memo. by Mr. John Lawrence suggesting certain Police arrangements for the Peshawar District and forwarding a scheme by Lieutenant Lumsden of defensive military posts for the frontier, together with the Board's opinion of the views and propositions contained therein. (D.)	Nos. 63-4.

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463	No. 1751, dated 3rd June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of certain political offenders.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 525, dated 20th May 1851, recommending the release of certain political offenders at present in confinement and suggesting a general amnesty for all offences committed by parties prior to annexation. In reply mentions the extent to which the Governor-General acquiesces in the Board's views and sanctions the release of prisoners, but considers that the amnesty is uncalled for. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th June 1851— Nos. 11-13.
	No. 693, dated 10th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of Lahore and Multán Divisions.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards extract paragraphs 1 and 2 of the preceding letter to the Commissioners of the Lahore and Multán Divisions, and requests they will issue orders for the release of certain prisoners in accordance with the sanction therein contained, giving each man Rs. 5 to enable him to reach home.	
	No. 694, dated 10th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces an extract paragraphs 1 and 2 of the preceding letter from Government, with a list of such prisoners as are now in confinement in the Agra Jail, and requests he will obtain the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor to their immediate release and to Rs. 25 being given to each man to enable him to reach his home. (D.)	
464	No. 104, dated 16th April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rates of toll levied at ferries.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division submits to the Board a schedule showing the rates of toll levied at the different ferries in his Division, and suggests that the toll levied at present on laden asses may be enhanced and made equal to that on unladen mules. (O.)	Nos. 52-4.
	No. 707, dated 12th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that asses are by no means generally equal to mules, besides which the owners are usually very poor people, and that it does not seem advisable therefore to increase the rate. (D.)	
465	No. 185, dated 3rd June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Crowded state of the Agra Jail.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Board an extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces, regarding the crowded state of the Agra Jail, and requests that the Board will issue instructions not to send any more prisoners thither from the Punjab. (O.)	Nos. 60-62.

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465—*concld.*	Circular No. 710—30, dated 13th June 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára and the Superintendent of Hill States.	Crowded state of the Agra Jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners and the Superintendent of Hill States that orders have been received by the Board to send no more prisoners to the Agra Jail, and requests they will be particularly careful that the prohibition is strictly attended to; also observes that orders will be issued hereafter for the future disposal of the class of convicts heretofore sent to Agra. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th June 1851— Nos. 60-62.
466	21st June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Followers allowed to Sayyid Fateh Ullah Shah.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division vernacular proceedings by Mr. C. G. Mansel, intimating that Sayyid Fateh Ullah Shah of Shergarh, Zilla Pákpattan has been permitted to keep 20 unarmed followers with him to visit his disciples at their homes, and to receive such presents as they may offer to him freely. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st June 1851— No. 51.
467	No. 387, dated 10th June 1851 ... From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of the Cis-Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of convicts on public works at Siálkot.	The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Cis-Jhelum Division, forwards to the Board a letter from Brigadier Hearsey, Commanding at Siálkot, giving cover to a correspondence between himself, the Deputy Commissioner at Siálkot, and the Executive Engineers at Siálkot and Wazirábad respecting convicts required by the latter for employment on the public works at those stations. Observes that by the Deputy Commissioner's letter to Brigadier Hearsey it would appear that the Executive Engineers are required to provide shelter and food for such convicts as may be placed at their disposal, and enquires what description of shelter would suffice. (O.)	Nos. 55-8.
	No. 733, dated 21st June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division a copy of the above letter with enclosures, and states that the Board do not see why the Deputy Commissioner should not himself make provision for the food and shelter of prisoners who may be employed at Siálkot. As regards Wazírabad, observes that the propriety of their employment there at all seems questionable, but the Board would be glad if he (the Commissioner) will take all the circumstances of the case into consideration and offer such arrangements to the Military authorities as may be convenient to the Executive Engineer without risking the health of the convicts. (D.)	
	No. 734, dated 21st June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Cis-Jhelum Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of the Cis-Jhelum Division that the foregoing letter has been written, and returns the original enclosures of his letter. (D.)	

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468	No. 337, dated 21st June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Charge on account of crossing the camp of the Governor-General over the Ravi.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Board copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dínánagar soliciting sanction to a bill on account of expenses incurred in crossing the camp of the Governor-General over the Ravi. Explains why the charge (amounting to Rs. 1,634-3-0) is so high, and recommends that the amount be charged to the Ferry Funds. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th June 1851— Nos. 77-9.
	No. 753, dated 27th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with its enclosure, to the Secretary to the Government of India, and recommends that sanction be given to the expenditure therein alluded to being charged to the Ferry Funds. (D.)	
469	No. 113, dated 23rd June 1851 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Outbreak of the prisoners in the jail at Shahpur.	The Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur furnishes for the Board's information copy of a report submitted by him to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division respecting an outbreak of the prisoners in the jail at Shahpur, which ended in 3 men being killed, 17 severely wounded (of whom 3 have since died) and of 2 being secured unhurt.	Nos. 83-5.
	No. 756, dated 27th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division to report as early as possible upon the causes of the outbreak, and furnish his opinion on the conduct of the guard and Government officers on the occasion. Adds that a rough sketch of the jail, shewing also the distance of the jungle alluded to by Captain Birch, should be furnished and a detailed statement of the wounds received by the Police, pending which the Board defer any comments on Captain Birch's letter. (D.)	
	No. 757, dated 27th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Chamberlain, Commandant of Police.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Major Chamberlain, Commandant of Police, for his perusal the foregoing letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur, and calls his attention to the 4th paragraph thereof in which it is stated that the musquets of the Company of Policemen on guard at the jail, at the time of the outbreak, were unserviceable. (D.)	
470	No 933, dated 21st June 1851 ... From—The Superintending Engineer of the Punjab Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Indent for boats required for flying bridges.	The Superintending Engineer of the Punjab Circle intimates to the Board that an indent has been sent to him by order of the Governor-General for 21 boats required to establish flying bridges across three rivers of the Peshawar District, and as some of them may be procured by the Civil authorities, requests that the Board will issue such orders as they deem expedient to enable the Executive Engineer to comply with the same (O.)	Nos. 89-91.

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470—*concld.*	No. 759, dated 27th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.	Indent for boats required for flying bridges.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, and requests he will endeavour to supply the Executive Engineer at Peshâwar with the boats required and give any further aid in his power to complete the bridges.	Progs. for the week ending 28th June 1851— Nos. 89-91.
	No. 760, dated 27th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer of Punjab Circle.		A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to the Superintending Engineer of the Punjab Circle for his information. (D.)	
471	No. 133, dated 17th June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Supply of bamboos.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States reports to the Board that in compliance with instructions contained in Board's letter No. 247, dated 27th March 1850, fifteen lacs of bamboos were supplied by the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiârpur to Lieutenant Glover, late Garrison Engineer of Lahore, at a cost of Rs. 24,869-14-11, which remains unadjusted, and forwards copy of a letter written by the Superintending Engineer to Captain Abbott expressing his inability to order Lieutenant Glover's successor to make payment (the bamboos having been purchased without Superintending Engineer's knowledge or sanctions), but offering to submit for the orders of the Military Board any representation that Captain Abbott may have occasion to make on the subject. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th July 1851— Nos. 7-9.
	No. 768, dated 30th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Glasfurd, Executive Engineer, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter to Major Glasfurd, Executive Engineer, Lahore, and enquires what measures he would propose for the adjustment of the item therein referred to; also observes that if it is not within his power to adjust it, the Board will be obliged by his stating whether the sole objection to the demand is the want of authority on the part of Lieutenant Glover to indent for the supply of bamboos, as it is desirable, if a reference be made to Government, that the specific point of objection should be placed before the Governor-General. (D.)	
472	Circular No. 34—770, dated 30th June 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazâra and the Superintendent of Hill States.	Outbreaks in jails.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that Commissioners, the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazâra and the Superintendent, Hill States, will call upon their District Officers to parade their prisoners and inform them of the fate of those who lately attempted to break from jail at Shahpur, and states that the Board most positively forbid armed sentries and others mixing with prisoners, or being in the wards and thereby liable to seizure, and directs that guards of all kinds be warned weekly of the necessity (for their own safety) of alertness also that no further slaughter in *any case* is required beyond what safety demands. (D.)	No. 11.

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473	No. 33, dated 4th June 1851 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Site selected for the new jail at Lahore.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 539, dated 5th May 1851, forwarding copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors regarding the site selected for the new jail at Lahore, the Civil Engineer of the Punjab observes that it is without exception the best piece of ground in the vicinity of Lahore, being elevated 20 feet above the Ravi, open to the wind in every direction, and having a natural drainage. With reference to the observation contained in his former letter, that the estimates submitted with the plan of the jail were hastily prepared, remarks that it referred to the possibility of trifling errors of calculation and not to anything materially affecting the total expense of the building. (O.) No order.	Progs. for the week ending 5th July 1851— Nos. 45-6.
	No. 73, dated 14th June 1851 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In acknowledging receipt of the Board's letter No. 533, dated 15th May 1851, with enclosures, respecting the site of the new jail, the Civil Engineer of the Punjab states that Lieutenant Hill has been directed to have the excavations surrounding the jail filled up as soon as he can, and observes that as they were only made for obtaining the requisite quantity of good clay and were of a temporary nature, it seems extraordinary conduct on the part of the Medical Committee that they should depart from the purpose for which they were assembled (*i.e.*, of reporting on the eligibility of the site) to interfere with matters of temporary and local detail for which they were in no way responsible. No order.	
474	No. 356, dated 28th June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of convicts on public works.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 733, dated 21st June 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards a copy of a letter written by him to the Deputy Commissioner at Siálkot directing that officer to supply the Executive Engineer at Siálkot with convicts without removing them from the jail and suggesting that Lieutenant Maxwell should send direct to the Civil Auditor his bills on account of feeding and lodging the prisoners who were previously placed at his disposal. (O)	Nos. 49-51.
	No. 785, dated 5th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of the Cis-Jhelum Division.		In continuation of letter, dated 21st June 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of the Cis-Jhelum Division for his information, and states that the Board trust the arrangement now sanctioned for feeding and sheltering the prisoners furnished to the Executive Engineer at Siálkot will prove satisfactory to the Major-General and to the Brigadier Commanding at Wazírabad. (D.)	

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475	Circular No. 36—800, dated 9th July 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Overbearing and insolent conduct on part of Police.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers Commissioners to two cases that have lately come before the Board in which it was shown that the ill-usage of private persons by the Police, acting in the course or under cover of official duty, led to the most serious consequences; observes that frequent complaints have been made to the Board regarding the overbearing and insolent conduct of the Police, which is not the less deserving of strict censure, because it happens not to have produced similar consequences, and therefore requests they will impress upon District Officers the Board's earnest hope that they will leave no effort untried to enforce the observance of kind treatment and courtesy in all official duties upon their subordinates, but especially upon the Police who should be instructed and warned in this respect. (*D.*)	Progs. for the week ending 12th July 1851— No. 39.
476	No. 142, dated 8th July 1851 ... From—The Executive Engineer, Mián Mír, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Bamboos supplied by the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur to Lieutenant Glover.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 768, dated 30th June 1851, regarding bamboos supplied by the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur to Lieutenant Glover, the Executive Engineer, Mián Mír, explains that he has protested against being held responsible for the large stock laid in, and has at the same time applied to the Superintending Engineer for permission to pay for them. (O.)	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 814—765, dated 11th July 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of correspondence on the subject of the preceding letter, and begs that the Military Department may be required to adjust the charge if no objection is raised to the invoice. (D.)	
477	12th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Leiah Division.	Case of a prisoner named Saida.	In continuation of letter No. 1386, dated 13th December 1850, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Leiah Division an abstract of the Board's proceedings convicting a prisoner named "Saida" of culpable homicide in causing the death of his wife on the ground of her having committed adultery, and sentencing him to suffer five years' imprisonment. With reference, however, to the remarks of Government on the subject of an amnesty for past offences of no heinous dye in the eyes of the people, authorizes the prisoner's release on condition of his voluntarily banishing himself from the Punjab for five years. In the event of his breaking the engagement the imprisonment will have to be strictly undergone. (D.)	Nos. 104-06.

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478	No. 227, dated 23rd May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Exchange of certain villages with the Raja of Jind.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 195, dated 12th February 1851, regarding the exchange of certain villages with the Raja of Jind, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States observes that the Raja is agreeable to the arrangement, and solicits the Board's authority to carry it out. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1851— Nos. 9-10.
	No. 830, dated 15th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board are unwilling to submit to Government the proposition contained in his letter until they can accompany it with an assurance that there will be no difficulty in selecting for the exchange such villages as have very recently come under British rule and in the transfer of which the objection of giving over British subjects to a native ruler will apply with the least force. (D.)	
479	No. 386, dated 21st May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Causes of sickness and mortality in the jails of the Lahore Division.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 380, dated 22nd March 1851, giving cover to the copy of a report by Dr. Corbyn, Superintending Surgeon, on the causes of sickness and mortality in the jails of the Lahore Division, the Commissioner of Lahore Division forwards copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioners of Lahore, Amritsar and Batála, showing that the large amount of sickness and mortality to which Dr. Corbyn alludes, was not, as stated by that officer, attributable to want of cleanliness and ventilation and proper care, etc., but to the fearful epidemic that prevailed during the latter months of 1850 from which the entire population of the country suffered, a circumstance which Dr. Corbyn has omitted to notice. (O.)	Nos. 21-5.
	No. 831, dated 15th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Corbyn, Superintending Surgeon.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Dr. Corbyn, Superintending Surgeon, copy of the preceding letter, with its enclosures, and states that the Board would be glad if he will call upon the several officers in medical charge of the Lahore, Amritsar and Batála Jails to report on the matters alluded to in his (Dr. Corbyn's) letter dated 8th March 1851, in order to show to what extent the remarks therein contained are borne out by the existing state of the jail arrangements. (D.)	
480	No. 2174, dated 7th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab	Attempt of two Europeans to proceed westward, *i. e.*, Kábul.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 684, dated 21st June 1851, regarding two Europeans at Pesháwar who have attempted to proceed westward, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Governor-General's authority for these men being brought to Lahore and required to give security that they will not attempt to enter Kábul. (O.)	Nos. 54-5.

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480—*concld.*	No 844, dated 17th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.	Attempt of two Europeans to proceed westward, *i. e.*, Kábul.	With reference to the 2nd paragraph of his letter No. 189, dated 14th June 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar a copy of the above letter for his information, with a request that he will send the two Europeans therein alluded to to Lahore so soon as the season may admit, or safe arrangements can be made. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1851— Nos 54-5.
481	No. 136, dated 20th June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Captain Turner's conduct in connection with the custody of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 16, dated 9th January 1851, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards a copy of a correspondence with Captain Turner (late 2nd-in-command of the 1st Regiment S. L. Infantry), regarding the opinion therein expressed by the Board in respect to his conduct in connection with the custody of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh. Observes that Captain Turner is solicitous that under the explanation now submitted by him the Board will reconsider his conduct; and adds that should the Board be pleased to record any assurance calculated to remove the painful impression under which Captain Turner is labouring, it will be gratifying to him to be the channel for its communication. (O.)	Nos. 56-60.
	No. 845, dated 17th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		With reference to the above letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that in his letter to Captain Turner he has rightly pointed out to that officer that the Board censured his conduct not because he felt distrust of his corps, but that he showed he felt it, and states that the Board have reviewed what they said on the subject in January 1850, and regret that they are unable to modify in any respect the opinion they then expressed. (D.)	
482	No. 2143, dated 4th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Tenure of Civil Surgeoncy of Simla.	In acknowledging receipt of the Board's letter No. 605, dated 4th June 1851, with enclosures, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the recommendation therein contained in favour of the Civil Surgeon at Simla being allowed to remain in medical charge of the station for more than two years has been submitted for the favourable consideration of the Commander-in-Chief.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 848, dated 19th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		With reference to his letter No. 200, dated 23rd May 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Superintendent of Hill States, for his information, a copy of the above letter, with that of the Board's letter to which it is a reply. (D.)	

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483	No. 393, dated 11th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Enlistment of Sikh and Panjabi recruits into Regiments of the Line.	With reference to letter No. 615, dated 23rd May 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, for the perusal of the Board, correspondence in original regarding the enlistment of Sikh and Panjabi recruits into Regiments of the Line; and observes that the rejection of Sikhs is probably often caused by the importunities of old soldiers for the appointment of their relatives and friends. Adds that on one occasion 40 very fine men were sent by him to the Adjutant of a regiment who rejected every one of them. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1851— Nos. 89-90.
	No. 853, dated 19th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the original enclosures of his letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. (D.)	
484	No. 236, dated 30th April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Capture of certain adherents of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 1428, dated 27th December 1850, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards, in original, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dínánagar regarding the capture of certain adherents of Guru Bhai Maharaj Singh, together with a copy of his reply sanctioning a reward of Rs. 50 for the apprehension of each. (O.)	Nos. 96-8.
	No. 855, dated 19th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that if nothing has been proved against these men, they ought to be released on security, and returns the original enclosures. (D.)	
485	No. 181, dated 31st May 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cases involving infringements of marriage contracts.	With reference to the Board's circular No. 691, dated 3rd November 1850, regarding the cognizance of cases of adultery, the Commissioner of the Multán Division requests the Board to furnish him with additional information in respect of cases involving infringements of marriage contracts by the elopement of young women before such marriage has been consummated, and also cases in which mere betrothal exists. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th July 1851— Nos. 21-2.
	No. 870, dated 21st July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that the operation of criminal courts should be confined to breaches of the marriage vow, *i. e.*, "*biah*" with the Hindus and "*nikah*" with the Muhammadans, the violation of which by criminal intercourse with a stranger is adultery on the part of the woman. As regards mere betrothals, *mangani* or *nisbat*, observes that they do not involve the same responsibilities and can never be confounded with "*biah*"	

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485—*concld.*		Cases involving infringements of marriage contracts.	or "*nikah*," and that the breach of such contract does not permit the infliction of punishment similar to that which may be awarded in cases of Crim Con, but is more properly a civil wrong to be compensated by money, which principle the criminal courts should endeavour to induce the people to adopt willingly. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th July 1851— Nos. 21-2.
486	No. 143, dated 25th June 1851 .. From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Recapture of Ichar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Board a copy of a letter from Mr. Brereton, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, reporting the recapture of Ichar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan, who had effected his escape from the Jullundur Jail. Observes that the capture was made in the Kángra District, which reflects great credit on the energy and perseverance of Mr. Brereton and Musahib Khan, Thanadar, and solicits sanction to make the latter a present of some article from the Toshakhana. Notices Mr. Brereton's remarks regarding want of co-operation on the part of the Kángra Police, and adds that every endeavour will now be made to ascertain through whose connivance Ichar Singh escaped. (O.)	Nos. 23-7.
	No. 145, dated 26th June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the foregoing letter the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States submits to the Board an extract from Mr. Brereton's letter to his address soliciting sanction to the disbursement of a reward of Rs. 5,000 amongst the parties engaged in the capture of Ichar Singh, and with reference to the importance attached thereto recommends that the request be complied with. (O.)	
	No. 871, dated 21st July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration expresses the Board's concurrence in the credit given to Mr. Brereton for planning the arrest of Ichar Singh and to Musahib Khan, Thanadar, for the skill and alertness with which he executed the plan, and directs that he will bring the prisoner to trial for escape from jail and in accordance with the regulations sentence him to 3 years' additional imprisonment and cause his removal to the Lahore Jail as soon as the Jullundur authorities complete the enquiry they are following up in regard to the mode of Ichar Singh's escape, to the result of which the Board look with anxiety. In reference to the proposed reward of Rs. 5,000 explains why the Board are unable to support the recommendation in submitting it to Government, and adds that they reserve their opinion in respect to the conduct of the Kángra Police until they learn the result of the enquiry in progress. (D.)	

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486—*concld.*	No. 872, dated 21st July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Recapture of Ichar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits a copy of the preceding correspondence to the Secretary to the Government of India and solicits sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 1,000 in rewards amongst the Police officers engaged in the capture of Ichar Singh, in addition to the sums already expended in obtaining information, etc., and which should be charged for in a contingent bill. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th July 1851— Nos. 23-7.
487	No. 883, dated 25th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	Returns of British subjects residing in the Punjab.	With reference to his letter No. 258, dated 26th February 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal returns of British subjects residing within the jurisdiction of the Board on the 30th March 1851.	Nos. 79-12.
488	No. 158, dated 9th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Operations for the suppression of Thaggi.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Board a copy of a letter from Mr. Brereton, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, on the subject of his operations for the suppression of Thaggi. Observes that as Mr. Brereton has entered into this matter with so much zeal it seems desirable that he should be empowered to carry on his enquiries on his transfer to Ambála, and for this purpose be allowed to take the approvers (to whom he refers) with him on a small monthly pay, as also a convict who escaped from the Arrah Jail, named Mutasaddi, from whom Mr Brereton has obtained some valuable information and is therefore solicitous of obtaining his pardon. (O.)	Nos. 80-83.
	No. 884, dated 25th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration authorizes Mr. Brereton to keep on his Jullundur approvers on pay not exceeding Rs. 5 per mensem to each and sanctions their being sent to Ambála. As regards the prisoner, named Mutasaddi, states that the Board would wish to see a statement from the Magistrate of Arrah of this man's original crime and of his subsequent offence in escaping from jail, as also the term of his sentence with its date. In the meantime suggests that a letter be written to the authorities at Arrah informing them that this man's services are usefully employed, and that his transfer to this part of the country is contemplated on which they will doubtless not object to suspend their demand for him. (D.)	
	No. 885, dated 25th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding correspondence is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information. (D.)	

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489	No. 55, dated 17th June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Improvement of surroundings of Ambála Jail.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards, for the orders of the Board, copy of a letter from the Civil Surgeon of Ambála proposing, in view to improving the healthiness of the jail, that all cultivation within 100 yards of the building be removed, together with the brick wall and other houses near the entrance, and that all holes, etc., in the immediate vicinity be filled up. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd August 1851— Nos. 1-3.
	No. 896, dated 28th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board approve of Dr. Turnbull's suggestions, and will solicit the sanction of Government to their being carried out so soon as they receive a statement of the remission of revenue, compensation for loss of crops and outlay of money that will be necessary. (D.)	
490	No. 307, dated 8th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Organized system of child stealing.	With reference to the Board's Circular No. 24, dated 17th May 1851, regarding destruction of children by wolves, etc, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards an extract from a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar respecting an organized system of child stealing pursued by the Brinjaras residing under the hills in the vicinity of Morindah, Roopur, Korali and Mani Majra, whereby the parents are led to attribute the loss of their children to the ravages of wolves. (O.)	No. 10.
	No. 899, dated 29th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter and its enclosure to the Commissioners, Lahore, and the Trans-Sutlej States, and requests they will communicate the subject to their District Officers. (D.)	
491	No. 269, dated 17th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Infliction of stripes in cases of theft.	With reference to the Board's circular No. 22, dated 5th May 1851, the Commissioner of the Multán Division enquires whether the license therein allowed to flog boys guilty of theft of property exceeding Rs. 50 in value, extends to persons who may be technically guilty of burglary and to persons guilty of cattle-theft.	Nos. 33-5.
	No. 902, dated 30th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Multán Division that the Board intended the circular in question to empower the Criminal Courts to inflict stripes in *all* cases of theft, and whatever the amount of the stolen property, provided that the interests of justice do not require the infliction of a severer punishment, and this authority to extend to adults as well as youths. (D.)	

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491—*concld.*	Circular No. 38—903, dated 30th July 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Commissioner of Multán Division) and Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Házára.	Infliction of stripes in cases of theft.	The correspondence is circulated to Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners for information and guidance. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd August 1851— Nos. 33-5
492	No. 2310, dated 18th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Extension of Dr. Cannon's period of service at Simla to five years.	With reference to his letter No. 2143, dated 4th July 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Board a copy of a letter from the Adjutant-General of the Army intimating that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief has extended Dr. Cannon's period of service at Simla to five years. (O.)	Nos. 39-41.
	No. 907, dated 31st July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintendent of Hill States.		A copy of the above letter from the Government of India is forwarded to the Superintendent of Hill States for information in continuation of letter No. 848, dated 19th July 1851. (D.)	
493	No. 2381, dated 24th July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Supply of bamboos to the Executive Engineer at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 765, dated 11th July 1851, regarding adjustment of the account for a quantity of bamboos supplied by the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur to the Executive Engineer at Lahore, and states that the Military Board will be addressed on the subject of adjusting the account. (O.)	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 916, dated 31st July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for his information, with reference to his letter No. 133, dated 17th June 1851. (D.)	
494	No. 51, dated 5th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Question as to the liability of the Kábul Princes to arrest on process of courts.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States solicits the Board's opinion as to the liability of the Kábul Princes residing at Ludhiána to arrest on process of the local civil courts. (O.)	Nos. 66-7.
	No. 917, dated 31st July 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates that these parties cannot legally claim to be exempt from arrest under decrees of court, but the Board, however, consider that the Deputy Commissioner should before proceeding to such extremity apply to the Commissioner for sanction and act under his orders. Adds that generally the Board would wish to see this class of persons saved from the indignity of actual confinement in jail under civil process, and authorize the Commissioner to extend such privilege in each case as it comes up so that the exemption may at the last hour be afforded in ordinary cases without the course of law being put aside by a formal general declaration. (D.)	

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495	No. 171, dated 17th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Pursuit of Ichar Singh.	Referring to Mr. Brereton's representation anent the want of co-operation on the part of the Kángra Police, on the occasion of his sending a party in pursuit of Ichar Singh, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Board copy of a letter from Mr. Barnes, the Deputy Commissioner, explaining that had Mr. Brereton communicated with him on the subject at the time of sending his Police into the Kángra District, the cause of complaint would have been obviated.	Progs. for the week ending 9th August 1851— Nos. 47-50.
	No. 943, dated 7th August 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Board agree that a communication should be made by the District Officer whence a party of Police is sent to the officer of the district where the party is to go. At the same time they consider that Mr. Barnes' proceeding in the case under notice was derogatory to the general administration of the country and specially offensive to Mr. Brereton. Adds that Mr. Brereton will be cautioned to exercise more discretion in the employment of Police in other districts, and Mr. Barnes should be requested to avoid any unnecessary proceeding, such as that commented on. (D.)	
	No. 944, dated 7th August 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for communication to Mr. Brereton. (D.)	
496	No. 273, dated 28th July 1851 ... From—The Assistant Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Crime in the Pesháwar District.	In acknowledging receipt of the Board's letter No. 783, dated 3rd July 1851, the Assistant Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards comparative tables of criminal offences for his district from July 1850 to June 1851. (O.)	Nos. 80-93.
	No. 957, dated 9th August 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Assistant Commissioner of Pesháwar.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Assistant Commissioner, Pesháwar, with the Board's observations upon the extent of crime and disorganization in his district; and in drawing his attention and that of the officers subordinate to him to this subject, requests that no efforts may be spared to render life and property more secure for the future by maintaining the efficiency of the Police at its highest possible point and by pursuing the enquiries into each important case with such adroitness as to render exemplary punishments, the important instrument which it ought to be in checking crime. (D.)	
497	No. 344, dated 31st July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rewards for the destruction of wolves	In continuation of letter No. 307, dated 8th July 1851, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States reports to the Board upon the number of children supposed to have been destroyed by wolves in the Cis-Sutlej States during the last few years, and solicits sanction to the offering of higher rewards than have hitherto been allowed for the destruction of these animals (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th August 1851— Nos. 19-20.

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497—*concld.*	No. 969, dated 14th August 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Rewards for the destruction of wolves.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, and submits for the sanction of the Governor-General the following scale of rewards for the destruction of wolves, *viz.*,— Rs A. P. For every full-grown female ... 5 0 0 For every full grown male ... 2 8 0 For every cub ... 1 0 0	Progs. for the week ending 16th August 1851— Nos. 19-20.
498	No 283, dated 5th August 1851 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Workmen for the Pesháwar Road.	In reply to letter, dated 22nd July 1851, respecting the difficulty of procuring workmen for the Pesháwar Road, the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar suggests to the Board that an allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem be offered to the Afridi Chiefs for every 100 men they supply, and observes that without some arrangement of this kind it will be impossible to meet the heavy demand which at present exists for labourers. (O)	Nos. 29-31.
	No. 974, dated 14th August 1851 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India copy of the preceding letter and previous correspondence on the subject of procuring workmen for the Pesháwar Road, and solicits the sanction of the Governor-General to the plan proposed by the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar and authority to direct the appointment of native superintendents to inspect the condition of the men, and see that they are properly and punctually paid. (D.)	
	From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer.		With reference to the Board's letter No. 87', dated 22nd July 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Civil Engineer a copy of the preceding letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar on the subject of arranging for a supply of labourers, and states that the matter is still under consideration (D.)	
499	No. 198, dated 5th August 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Flogging of boys for theft.	Referring to Circular No. 17, dated 15th April 1851, on the subject of flogging boys in cases of theft, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States solicits sanction to extend the additional punishment of solitary confinement to all juvenile offenders who may appear to be professional thieves. (O.)	Nos. 63-4.
	No. 993, dated 16th August 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the leaning of Government, as inferable from the legislation of 1844, is in favour of flogging instead of imprisoning juvenile offenders. At the same time in respect to young professional thieves, states that the Board would not desire to lay down an invariable rule that flogging should be resorted to rather than imprisonment	

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499—*concld.*		Flogging of boys for theft.	and that the Deputy Commissioners of his Division should be instructed that they are at liberty to exercise a discretion in subjecting confirmed juvenile offenders to imprisonment which may be of a solitary nature to the extent that the age and health of the youths warrant. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd August 1851— Nos. 63-4.
500	No. 268, dated 18th August 1851... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Labourers for the Peshâwar Road.	In acknowledging receipt of a copy of Lieutenant Lumsden's letter proposing an allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem to the Afridi Chiefs for every 100 workmen supplied by them, the Civil Engineer of the Punjab observes that the arrangement will be a very satisfactory one if it can be carried into effect. (O.) No order.	No. 35.
501	No. 209, dated 18th August 1851... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disposal of cases of theft.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Board, for favour of consideration and orders, copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiârpur containing a proposition that it be left to the discretion of Magistrates to determine whether cases of theft should be committed to the Sessions or disposed of by themselves, although the value of property stolen may exceed Rs. 300, and observes that in his opinion the discretion solicited by Captain Abbott may be exercised with advantage. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th September 1851— Nos. 1-4.
	No. 1038, dated 1st September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, with a copy of a circular issued by the Board upon the suggestion contained therein, and observes that Captain Abbott in his letter uses somewhat unmeasured language in referring to the Criminal Code of the Provinces, and that such language is objectionable. (O.)	
	Circular No. 42—1039, dated 1st September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners in the Punjab and Cis-and Trans-Sutlej States, also Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazâra.		Referring to the existing rule requiring that all cases of theft in which the value of property stolen exceeds Rs. 300 shall be committed to the Sessions for trial, the Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing all Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners observes that the Board have determined that henceforth this rule shall not be binding in the territories under their jurisdiction, but that a discretion shall be allowed to Magistrates whether to refer such cases or not. Adds that this discretion should be exercised in all cases of cattle theft unattended by personal injury or burglary, or the aggravation of being committed on the highway or at a halting place of travellers, and furnishes explicit instructions for the guidance of Magistrates in disposing of such cases. (D.)	
502	No. 2690, dated 26th August 1851... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of flying bridges in the Peshâwar District.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer of the Punjab suggesting the employment of Lieutenant	Nos. 19-21.

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502—*concld.*		Construction of flying bridges in the Peshâwar District.	Henderson for the construction at Attock of the boats required for flying bridges in the Peshâwar District, and requests that the Board will state whether any objection exists to the proposed arrangement. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th September 1851— Nos. 19-21.
	No. 1046, dated 3rd September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with its enclosure, to the Civil Engineer, and requests he will render Lieutenant Henderson's services available in the way required if no objection exists, and report his opinion to the Board for the information of Government. (D.)	
503	No. 2391, dated 26th August 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Supply of labourers for the Peshâwar Road.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 868, dated 14th August 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India intimates that the Governor-General sanctions the trial of the plan proposed by the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar for remedying the inconvenience felt from an insufficient supply of labourers in the Peshâwar District. (O.)	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 1051, dated 4th September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To - The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		With reference to his letter No. 283, dated 5th August 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar for his information, adding that the Board empower him to incur any moderate expense that may be necessary for ensuring the regular payment of the labourers by appointing a Superintendent to see to it. (D.)	
504	No. 886, dated 30th August 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Adjustment of expenses of the Ferozepore Pilgrim Hospital.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 161, dated 7th February 1851, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States enquires to what fund the expenses of the Ferozepore "Pilgrim Hospital" are to be debited. (O)	Progs., for the week ending 13th September 1851— Nos. 14-15.
	No. 1066, dated 12th September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply to the above letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates that the expenses should be charged to the Ferry Fund till the Nazul Fund possesses a surplus, when it should be met from that source. (D.)	
505	No. 873, dated 21st August 1851 .. From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Capture of offenders and favourable report on Captain Larkins.	With reference to letter No. 354, dated 6th August 1851, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States reports to the Board the capture in the Thânesar District of two other proclaimed offenders; and in remarking upon the success which has attended Captain Larkins' exertions to apprehend criminals and the satisfactory manner in which the duties of his district generally are conducted, requests that the Board will recommend to Government that the amount of salary forfeited by that officer on his transfer from the Ludhiâna to the Kaithal District may be restored to him. (O.)	Nos. 16-17.

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505—*concld.*	No. 1067, dated 12th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Capture of offenders and favourable report on Captain Larkins.	With reference to the above letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates that the Board will take a favourable opportunity of submitting his application on behalf of Captain Larkins to the Governor-General. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th September 1851—Nos. 16-17.
506	No. 2792, dated 6th September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Enlistment for the East India Company.	With reference to previous correspondence the Secretary to the Government of India intimates to the Board that military officers holding regimental commissions are not prohibited in their capacity of Justices of the Peace from enlisting or re-enlisting soldiers or other persons for the East India Company. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1851—Nos. 7-8.
	Circular No. 45—1079, dated 17th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of Lahore and Jhelum Divisions and Cis-and Trans-Sutlej States, and the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		The orders are circulated to the Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, with reference to the Board's circular No. 19, dated 19th April 1851. (D.)	
507	No. 235, dated 5th September 1851... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Establishment of a regular Court of Adalat by the Ahluwalia Raja.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States intimates to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the Ahluwalia Raja has established a regular Court of Adalat at Kapûrthala which is presided over by a well-educated native from the Provinces. Observes that as this measure on the part of the Raja is deserving of every encouragement, he has authorized the Deputy Commissioners of his Division to address the court direct when necessary by vernacular proceeding, and suggests that similar authority may be conveyed by the Board to the officers of the adjoining districts. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th September 1851—Nos. 8-11.
	Circular No. 47—1098, dated 23rd September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners (except Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States) and Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazâra.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners a copy of the preceding letter, and requests that in matters concerning parties in the territory of the Ahluwâlia Raja the court established by him may be addressed by vernacular proceeding direct. (D.)	
	No. 1099, dated 23rd September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States is informed accordingly.	
508	No. 2808, dated 8th September 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Administration report of the Lahore Division.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a despatch from the Court of Directors recording their satisfaction at the account of the administration of the Lahore Division as submitted by the Commissioner in his report, soliciting further information on certain points and expressing a desire	Nos. 12-1.

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508—*concld.*		Administration report of the Lahore Division.	to be furnished with a similar report from each of the other Commissionerships. Adds that the Governor-General had been some time in expectation of receiving a report on the roads constructed, or in progress in the Punjab, under the orders of the Civil Engineer. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th September 1851— Nos. 12-15.
	No. 1100, dated 24th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Commissioner of the Lahore Division with an extract from the despatch alluded to in the preceding letter, and requests he will communicate to the officers referred to the approbation expressed by the Court of Directors. (D.)	
	No. 1101, dated 24th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab an extract from Sir H. M. Elliot's letter, and requests he will supply the required report upon the roads that have been constructed in the Punjab under his orders. (D.)	
509	No. 74, dated 11th September 1851 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Sale of real property for the realization of fines.	With reference to the Board's circular No. 42, dated 1st September 1851, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States requests to be furnished with their opinion as to whether the wording of Act XVI of 1850 would justify the attachment and sale of proprietary rights in lands and other immoveable property in satisfaction of fines imposed under its provisions. (O.)	Nos. 33-4.
	Circular No. 50—1120, dated 25th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.		With reference to the question submitted in the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Commissioners that the Board judge it to be expedient to permit the sale of real property if necessary for the realization of fines imposed under Act XVI of 1850, such sale being subject in every instance to the formal sanction of the Commissioner. (D.)	
510	No. 2509, dated 18th September 1851. From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of flying bridges in the Peshawar District.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1046, dated 4th September 1851, the Civil Enigneer of the Punjab states that he will be glad to place the services of Lieutenant Henderson at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer for the purpose therein stated, but observes that as that officer is not always at Attock, it will be necessary to supply him with an intelligent overseer from the Department of Public Works who would superintend the boat building and keep the accounts. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1851— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 1135, dated 30th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, with reference to his letter No. 2690, dated 26th August 1851. (D.)	

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511	No. 392, dated 22nd September 1851 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Petition from Ghulam Mohi-u-d-din, Thanadar of Teri, for the grant of a pension.	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar forwards to the Board copy of a letter from Captain Coke, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kohát, with its enclosure, a petition from Ghulam Mohi-ud-din, Thanadar of Teri, praying for a pension in consideration of his past services and present age and infirmities which unfit him for the proper performance of his duties, and recommends that some provision may be made for the petitioner who is, as he states, physically incapable of discharging his duties. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1851— Nos. 26-9.
	No. 1142, dated 30th September 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		With reference to the above the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's authority to the removal of Ghulam Mohi-ud-din from his post of Thanadar of Teri; and in regard to granting him a pension, observes that the Board would be glad to have a detail of the period and character of his service under the Sikh and the British Governments to enable them to fix the amount. Also forwards a form of application for a superannuation pension. (D.)	
512	No. 2563, dated 25th September 1851. From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Plunder of timber supplied by the Agent of Maharaja Gulab Singh.	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a demi-official letter addressed to him by Lieutenant Oliphant describing the manner in which the timber despatched by the Agent of Maharaja Gulab Singh (Moti Ram) has been plundered and destroyed on the banks of the Jhelum, and recommends that the Deputy Commissioner of the district may be directed to make a strict and personal enquiry into the matter. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th October 1851— Nos. 59-60.
	No. 1170, dated 11th October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In continuation of the Board's letter No. 1137, dated 30th September 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that consequent on the receipt of the preceding communication from Colonel Napier the Board have determined to depute Mr. Bowring to make a personal enquiry into the case after communicating with Lieutenants Heath and Oliphant on the subject. (D.)	
513	No 568, dated 24th September 1851 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of dacoity.	In compliance with the request contained in the Board's letter No. 1037, dated 30th August 1851, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division submits a copy of the thana report and of the final proceedings of the Extra Assistant at Kasúr in the case of dacoity entered in the Comparative Table of Criminal Offences of the Lahore District for July 1851. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th October 1851— No. 3.
	No. 1173, dated 13th October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration observes in reply that the report of the Thanadar and the proceedings of the Adalati do not sufficiently disclose the cause of the attack which has the appearance of	

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513—*concld.*		Case of dacoity.	abduction rather than of dacoity, and states that if the act was really perpetrated in consequence of some dispute about betrothal, or marriage, it may properly be entered in the returns as a case of abduction. Adds that the punishment inflicted applies to that species of offence. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th October 1851— No.3.
514	No. 246, dated 24th September 1851 From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Mussammats Lohki, Sardha and Dharni.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of his proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Mussammats Lohki, Sardha and Dharni, three prisoners, the first convicted of being principal in the murder of her husband (by administering poison) and the two latter of being accessories thereto, and recommends therefore that the woman be sentenced to imprisonment for life in transportation beyond seas and Sardha and Dharni to imprisonment for 21 and 7 years, respectively, both in banishment. (O.)	Nos. 71-5.
	No. 1199, dated 18th October 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States with an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer the punishment recommended for each. (D.)	
515	No. 2168, dated 16th June 1851 ... From—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Lieutenant-Colonel Steel's report on the state of the Grand Trunk Road.	The Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces, forwards, for the Board's perusal, copy of a report submitted by Lieutenant-Colonel Steel on the, state of the Grand Trunk Road in 1850-51 and communicates the observations made by the Lieutenant-Governor on certain paragraphs thereof which relate to the want of hackeries and the bad state of the roads in the Punjab and the Cis-and Trans-Sutlej States. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1851— Nos. 12-17.
	No. 1204, dated 21st October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, will convey to the Lieutenant-Governor the Board's thanks for the copy of Lieutenant-Colonel Steel's report, and states that it has been printed and circulated to District Officers. (D.)	
	No. 1205, dated 21st October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab 10 copies of the report alluded to in the foregoing correspondence, together with an extract paragraph 4 of the letter from the Secretary to Government, North-We tern Provinces, and solicits his opinion in regard to the suggestion contained therein that carts should rather be imported from Rohilkhand than manufactured in the Punjab (D.)	

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515—*concld.*	Circular No. 52—1206, dated 21st October 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára.	Lieutenant-Colonel Steel's report on the state of the Grand Trunk Road.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Peshâwar and Hazára 10 printed copies of the report referred to in the above letter, and remarks that it contains much information which may be of value. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1851— Nos. 12-17.
516	No. 1208, dated 22nd October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of Multán and Leiah Divisions.	Emigration of labourers.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration calls the attention of the Commissioners of Multán and Leiah to the draft of an Act for rendering lawful the emigration of labourers from the Port of Bombay to the Mauritius published in the *Calcutta Government Gazette*, and solicits their opinion as to how far emigration might be promoted with advantage among the people of the Trans-Indus and Western Punjab. (O.)	No. 25.
517	No. 360, dated 10th October 1851... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Periodical visits to jails by a Superintending Surgeon.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang regarding the necessity of periodical visits being paid by a Superintending Surgeon, or other European Medical Officer, to the different jails that are in medical charge of Sub-Assistant Surgeons. (O.)	Nos. 26-9.
	No. 1209, dated 22nd October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeons, Trans-Ravi and Peshâwar circles.		With reference to the above, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Superintending Surgeons of the Trans-Ravi and Peshâwar Circles will favour the Board with their views on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. (D.)	
	No. 1210, dated 22nd October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Medical Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests to be furnished with the views of the Medical Board on the subject of the inspection of jails in the Trans-Ravi and Peshâwar Circles as suggested by the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. (D.)	
518	No. 362, dated 10th October 1851... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Loss of letters from Commissioner's office, Multán.	With reference to the previous correspondence regarding certain missing letters of his office, the Commissioner of the Multán Division reports that he has succeeded in apprehending his late Daftri named Lazaras Miller to whose careless and fraudulent entries in the dâk book are to be attributed the loss of the papers and the difficulty of tracing them, and enquires whether the Board consider him deserving of punishment on a charge of forgery. (O.)	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 1220, dated 25th October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the abstraction of office letters is an offence which must be regarded as a criminal fraud requiring punishment as an example, and the Deputy Commissioner should take up the present case and punish if the proof be clear. (D.)	

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519	No. 429, dated 20th September 1851 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Frequency of robberies along the canal.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration upon the frequency of robberies along the canal which is the cause of much inconvenience to persons employed in the Canal Department owing to the distance of the Sadar stations of district officers, and is also detrimental to the public service, inasmuch as the sufferers are compelled to abandon their posts for the purpose of seeking redress from the Deputy Commissioners, and suggests therefore that the Superintendent of Canals may be vested *ex-officio* with magisterial powers in cases in which his subordinates may be concerned. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1851— Nos. 70-73.
	No 1224, dated 25th October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration remarks that the Canal Officer has had no experience or training in judicial matters, and the Board think it doubtful whether he would exercise the powers proposed for him to the public advantage. As a remedy, however, for the evils complained of, suggests that one of the two Uncovenanted Deputy Collectors at Ambála be posted to Jagádhri, and, as another desirable measure which occurs to the Board, mentions the recasting of the tahsil and police stations along the country through which the canal runs and the plan of investing particular officers in the Canal Department with Police Daroga's powers to track property and thieves in cases of robbery committed on parties in that Department; also solicits his opinion on these propositions and asks for a sketch map of the course of the canal showing the position of all tahsil, thana and police stations in relation to it. (D.)	
520	From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Comparative tables of criminal offences.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration comparative tables of criminal offences appertaining to the several districts of his division for the month of July 1851. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st November 1851— Nos. 4-8.
	No. 1227, dated 28th October 1851... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration draws the attention of the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, to the two cases of dacoity which are shown to have occurred in that month,—one in the Jullundur, the other in the Kángra District,—and observes that if the cases be correctly entered as robberies by open violence, the Board would regard the present returns as evincing an unsatisfactory state of the Police which demands the renewed vigilance of the officers in the Trans-Sutlej States. Adds that the Board wish an account of the more serious cases to be invariably entered on the back of the return which has been omitted in this instance by the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur. (D.)	

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521	No. 452, dated 21st October 1851... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Boats for flying bridges	The Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the boats in use on the Kábul and Swát rivers are not of the description required by the Executive Engineer for flying bridges, besides which the withdrawal of the number required would be a hindrance to traffic, and suggests therefore that Lieutenant Henderson at Attock may be required to prepare the smaller boats that are needed, leaving the six large ones to be built hereafter. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 1st November 1851—Nos. 11-12.
	No. 1229, dated 28th October 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the orders of the Governor-General. (D.)	
522	Circular No. 56--1269, dated 7th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Murder of a Barkandaz by a prisoner who has escaped.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára an abstract of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division regarding the murder of a Barkandaz by a prisoner who has escaped, and observes that the Thanadar, who sent the prisoner with but one Barkandaz, disregarded a Standing Order, and that this communication is made in order that they will warn their subordinates of the risk of fatal consequences attending such neglect. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th November 1851—No. 35.
523	No. 110, dated 25th October 1851 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Inspection of jails, etc., by a Superintending Surgeon.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1209, dated 22nd October 1851, the Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi, communicates his intention of visiting as many jails and military stations as he can during the present cold season, and requests that he may be furnished with a statement of the different routes which he should pursue. (O.)	Nos. 27-9.
	Nos 1271-74, dated 7th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of Lahore, Jhelum, Multán and Leiah Divisions.		Copies of the preceding letter are furnished to the Commissioners of Lahore, Jhelum, Multán and Leiah Divisions for their information.	
	No. 1275, dated 7th November 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Wood.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter to Dr. Wood, and furnishes him with the required statement of routes from Lahore to Dera Ismail Khan, Dera Gházi Khan, Leiah and Jhang. (D.)	
524	Circular No. 57—1290, dated 13th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Holding of sessions.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that Commissioners will in future send the Board notice whenever they may hold sessions; and lays it down as a rule that the sessions should	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1851—No. 56.

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524—*concld.*		Holding of sessions.	be held once in every three months, or when this is not done, an especial report submitted in explanation. *To the Commissioners of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States and Jhelum Divisions.* Adds that the Governor-General having sanctioned their residing at hill stations, the Board consider it obligatory upon them to come down once during the hot season and hold the sessions on the plains. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1851—No. 56.
525	No. 260, dated 9th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Practice in regard to grant of copies of decisions.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division solicits the Board's opinion as to whether parties in miscellaneous cases, in the magistrate's court, are entitled to have authenticated copies of the orders passed in their case by presenting a petition on plain paper with the required amount of stamped paper. States that in his opinion it is desirable that this practice should obtain in the newly acquired territories in the Punjab, and mentions the case of one Sahib Ditta who has been fined by the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang for presenting a petition on unstamped paper because that officer considered it a contempt of court. Adds that he has directed the fine to be remitted. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd November 1851—Nos. 2-4.
	No. 1306, dated 17th November 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the Board's concurrence in his view that it is expedient to apply the order of the Sadar Board of Revenue in regard to copies of decisions being given to parties concerned on simple application, or on application on plain paper, to the criminal courts, and accordingly directs that for the future the practice may be observed in Jhang and the other courts in Multán. With regard to the case of Sahib Ditta, states that the Board approve of his order remitting the fine. (D.)	
526	No. 3354, dated 31st October 1851... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Arrangements for the defence of the valley of Peshâwar.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards, for the information of the Board, copy of a minute, dated 14th October 1851, recorded by the Most Noble the Governor-General respecting arrangements which should be made for the defence of the valley of Peshâwar. (O.)	Nos. 7-10.
	No. 3380, dated 1st November 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above letter the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General now considers it necessary to give close attention to the completion of arrangements at Peshâwar in regard to revenue and police, and proposes to request Mr. Jno. Lawrence to return at his earliest convenience to Peshâwar to pursue the enquiries he commenced before, and to communicate, through the Board, his matured views in regard to both these branches of administration. Adds that	

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526—*concld.*	..	Arrangements for the defence of the valley of Pesháwar.	it is His Lordship's intention hereafter to appoint a Commissioner at Pesháwar for which office he proposes to select Lieutenant-Colonel Mackeson, C. B. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd November 1851—Nos. 7-10.
	No. 1308, dated 17th November 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Lumsden, Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar.		A copy of the Governor-General's minute is forwarded to Lieutenant Lumsden, Deputy Commissioner, Pesháwar. (D.)	
527	No. 382, dated 29th October 1851... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Promotion of emigration to the Multán Division.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1208, dated 29th October 1851, regarding the possibility of promoting emigration among the people of the Trans-Indus and Western Punjab, the Commissioner of the Multán Division states that the population of the Multán Division is so scanty that it would be advantageous if some means could be devised for encouraging emigration to Multán from the over-populated portions of Hindustan. (D.) No order.	No. 29.
528	No. 482, dated 15th October 1851... From—The Superintendent of Hill States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Inspection of vaccine operations in the Simla Hills.	The Superintendent of Hill States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a letter with its enclosure from Dr. Cannon respecting the necessity that exists for his visiting from time to time (in his capacity of Superintendent of Vaccine) the different districts in which vaccine operations are being carried on; expresses his concurrence in the observations made by Dr. Cannon on the subject, and with a view to enabling that officer the more effectually to carry out the objects in contemplation, suggests that he be transferred from the Military Branch of the service and appointed Civil Surgeon of Simla and Superintendent of Vaccine on a consolidated salary of Rs. 500 per mensem. (O.)	Nos. 33-6.
	No. 1315, dated 19th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter with its enclosures to the Secretary to the Government of India, and observes that the Board are of opinion that the arrangement proposed by Mr. Edwards would not be likely to answer because the duties of Dr. Cannon as Civil Surgeon would be almost nominal, while the other Surgeon at Simla would be overworked. Recommends therefore that Dr. Cannon be permitted to visit the interior from the 1st November to the 1st April following (during which period the work at Simla is light) for the purpose of enquiring into the system and progress of vaccination and generally of administering to the medical wants of the people. (D.)	

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529	No. 499, dated 10th November 1851 From—Lieutenant James, Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Establishment of a Police Chowki for the Michni villages lately resumed.	Lieutenant James, Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar, solicits the Board's sanction to the establishment of a Police Chowki for the Michni villages lately resumed, and states that Lieutenant Lumsden agrees with him in opinion that the assessment of these villages should be postponed till the chowki is established and the people are more settled. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd November 1851—Nos. 45-6.
	No. 1318, dated 19th November 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant Lumsden.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing Lieutenant Lumsden, observes that there is not in Lieutenant James' letter any detail of the chowki nor any mention of the strength of the party proposed and their pay. With regard to the concluding portion of Lieutenant James' letter observes that he is right not to settle the villages for the present, but he should serve a notice warning the agriculturists to pay to no one but the officials of the British Government. (D.)	
530	No. 93, dated 31st October 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appeals in miscellaneous cases.	Referring to the Board's Circular No. 52, dated 23rd October 1851, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States requires whether, where a Deputy Commissioner has revised in appeal a criminal trial, or miscellaneous case decided by his Assistant in the first instance, the Commissioner is expected or required to admit an appeal from the Deputy Commissioner's order, and observes that such would be contrary to the spirit of the Civil Regulations and the letter of Act XXXI of 1841. The Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, is, therefore, of opinion that the second appeal should not be allowed as a general rule, but that the Commissioner should be authorized, if he think proper, to call for the proceedings and revise the Deputy Commissioner's order. (O.)	Nos. 64-5.
	Circular No. 59-1223, dated 20th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		Referring to the enquiry made in the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára that the Board have been pleased to decide that a second appeal shall be allowed, because the constitution of our courts requires that all trials and decisions in miscellaneous cases of the Deputy Commissioner's court should be open to appeal to the Commissioner, thus enabling him (the Commissioner) to inculcate correct views of law and practice amongst his subordinates. (O.)	
531	No. 3479, dated 11th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of boats for flying bridges.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1125, dated 28th October 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India authorises the immediate construction by Lieutenant Henderson at Attock of fifteen small boats required for flying bridges, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,950.	Nos. 77-8.

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531—*concld.*	No. 1333, dated 22nd November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant H. B. Lumsden, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.	Construction of boats for flying bridges.	A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Lieutenant H. B. Lumsden, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, for his information, with reference to his letter No. 452, dated 21st October 1851. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd November 1851—Nos. 77-8.
532	No. 298, dated 17th November 1851 From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Contingent charges of the Jullundur Jail Hospital.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1298, dated 13th November 1851, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur with its enclosure from the Civil Surgeon, and observes that, with the exception of the items of Port wine and opium, the contingent charges of the Jullundur Jail Hospital do not appear excessive. Adds that the Civil Surgeon is doubtful whether the expense incurred on account of the items referred to can be materially diminished, and as he (Commissioner) is incompetent to offer any opinion on the subject, suggests that an arrangement be made for subjecting all hospital charges to check and audit by the superior medical authorities. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th November 1851—Nos. 26-8.
	28th November 1851 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards the preceding letter in original to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, together with three monthly returns detailing the jail hospital charges referred to, and requests that he will favour the Board with his opinion in reference to Dr. Smith's letter to the address of the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur. (D.)	
533	No. 2845, dated 18th November 1851. From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Opening of bridge-of-boats at Attock.	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the bridge of boats across the Indus at Attock was completed and opened for traffic on the 28th October 1851. (O.)	Nos. 29-5
	No. 1359, dated 28th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General. (D.)	
534	No. 3627, dated 22nd November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical attendance on civil establishments at Murree.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1152, dated 6th November 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General does not consider it necessary to submit to the Commander-in-Chief the correspondence between the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division and Dr. Macbeth, but will not, during the ensuing season, object to sanction a remuneration to the Medical Officer who may attend to the civil establishments at Murree. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th December 1851—Nos. 9-9½.

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534—*concld.*	No. 1361, dated 1st December 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division.	Medical attendance on civil establishments at Murree.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires of the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division what degree of labour the duty of affording medical aid at Murree would be likely to entail and what remuneration would be fair. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th December 1851—Nos. 9-9½.
535	No. 1363, dated 1st December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.	Construction of boats for flying bridges.	Referring to the Board's letter No. 1333, dated 22nd November 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar to make the necessary advances to Lieutenant Henderson for the construction of boats for flying bridges. Observes that from a minute received from the Senior Member of the Board it appears that the cost of the boats is calculated at Rs. 10,000 by Lieutenant Henderson, which it is presumed includes the cost of 6 large ones which were not previously estimated, otherwise the difference between his calculation and the amount for which sanction has been obtained requires explanation.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 1364, dated 1st December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab for his information. (D.)	
536	No. 1382, dated 8th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Case of a Mr. Wilson charged with collecting money on false pretences.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration returns to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore certain papers received from him with a demi-official communication respecting a Mr. Wilson who had been sent to Lahore by the Assistant Commissioner of Gujrât on a charge of collecting money on false pretences. States that the Board cannot sanction the forcible removal of this person out of the Punjab and direct his immediate release, and adds that if any crime could have been proved against him, he should have suffered legal punishment. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th December 1851—No. 8.
537	No. 383, dated 29th July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder of one Gaura, a farmer, and Karim Bakhsh, a Mazkuri peon.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 876, dated 23rd July 1851, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards papers connected with the murder of one Gaura, a farmer of certain villages in Pindigheb, and Karim Bakhsh, a Mazkuri peon, and explains the cause. (O.)	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 1394, dated 12th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board concur in his view of the case and the expediency of forbidding *ex-parte* decisions as most likely to prevent such cases in future, and remarks with reference to Mr. Carnac's letter in the matter that the Board do not consider any establishments of Police along the Indus to be necessary, as it is not by increasing the Police but by preventing their interference with the people and by watching the effect of our laws that disturbances and crime are likely to be prevented. (D.)	

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538	No. 542, dated 28th November 1851 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Establishment required for the Police Chauki of the Michni villages.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1318, dated 19th November 1851, the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar mentions that a Muharrir on Rs 15 per mensem and 12 Barkandazes at Rs. 5 per mensem each are required for the Police Chauki of the Michni villages, with an allowance of Rs. 5 per mensem for stationery. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th December 1851— Nos. 52-3.
	No. 1395, dated 12th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar.		In reply the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the entertainment, for 3 months, of the establishment required and to an expenditure of Rs. 5 per mensem for stationery. (D.)	
539	No. 3706, dated 28th November 1851 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Inspection of vaccine institutions in the Simla Hills.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1207, dated 19th November 1851, the Secretary to the Government of India states that the consent of the Commander-in-Chief will be asked to the retention of 2 Assistant Surgeons at Simla during the whole year, in view to enable Dr. Cannon to move about the districts in the hills during the winter for the purpose of superintending the vaccine institutions under his charge. Adds that the Governor-General will not object to the grant of a proper travelling allowance to Dr. Cannon whilst so employed, but His Lordship does not think an increase of salary necessary. (O.)	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 1396, dated 12th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information and for communication to the Superintendent of Hill States. (D.)	
540	No. 1414, dated 16th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner, Lahore Division.	Prisoners in the Nazir's Hawalat at Lahore.	Referring to former circular letters regarding the classification of prisoners, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the President of the Board found 15 prisoners in the Nazir's Hawalat in the city of Lahore with a woman amongst them, and that they were of all classes and all together, though the building admitted of a minute classification, and requests that the attention of the Deputy Commissioner be called to keeping men of respectable classes and women separate from others and petty offenders apart from felons; directs also that the Deputy Commissioner be required to submit a plan and estimate of a Hawalat house (to be erected in the Kutchery compound), and that the guard over the Hawalat in the city be sent back to their corps, which is very much overworked. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1851— No. 24.

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541	No. 502, dated 29th November 1851 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed promotion of emigration amongst the people of the Trans-Indus and Western Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1208, dated 22nd October 1851, respecting the possibility of promoting emigration amongst the people of the Trans-Indus and Western Punjab, the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division states that the population of his division is too scanty to admit of its being tried, and that there lie on both banks of the Indus large tracts of the richest *sailaba* lands which have never been under cultivation and are capable of supporting a colony of emigrants from Bengal and the North-Western Provinces if they could be persuaded to settle in the Punjab. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1851—Nos. 30-31.
	No. 1418, dated 16th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board will be glad if some of the officers and men of the irregular levies who served so well during the last war can be settled on the tracts of unoccupied land referred to in the concluding portion of his letter, provided that the lands are not even occasionally occupied by the inhabitants of the Trans-Indus and those of Thal in the Sind Sagar Doab. (D.)	
542	No. 678, dated 3rd December 1851... From—The Commissioner, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prevalence of female infanticide amongst the Bedi caste.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copy of a communication from the Deputy Commissioner of Dínánagar respecting the prevalence of female infanticide amongst the Bedi caste, with suggestions for its suppression, and observes that he agrees with Major Lake as to the propriety of interdicting the Police from taking up cases of infanticide by Bedis without special order. (D.)	Nos. 40-44.
	No. 1423, dated 18th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of Lahore that the Board require a much more detailed report on the subject of infanticide before they can devise any general rules for dealing with the practice. They do not think it would be politic to select the Bedi tribe alone while it is believed to be an undoubted fact that infanticide prevails to a great extent throughout the country. The Secretary to the Board forwards a copy of a set of resolutions passed at a meeting of Chohan Rajputs in the Mainpuri District which shows that the Magistrate has succeeded in enlisting the feelings of the Chohans in favour of suppressing infanticide. Observes that the Board regard it as the true way of securing the object in view, and requests he will furnish a report on the subject, and have a census carefully prepared of the inhabitants of Dera Nának in which the Bedi families should be kept distinct to show their number and the number also of their female children. (D.)	

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542—*concld.*	No. 1424, dated 18th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces.	Prevalence of female infanticide amongst the Bedi caste.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, requests that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor will be so good as to furnish the Board with copies of any rules which may have been found useful in the North-Western Provinces in suppressing the crime of infanticide, or any reports which may have been received on the subject. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1851—Nos. 40-44.
	Circular No. 60—1425, dated 18th December 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners (except Mr. Barnes) and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administion forwards to Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára a copy of correspondence with the Commissioner of the Lahore Division regarding the prevalence of infanticide in the Punjab, and requests they will furnish reports on the subject similar to the one called for from Mr. Barnes showing the extent to which infanticide is believed to prevail in their respective divisions and giving their opinions as to the means most likely to effect its suppression. (D.)	
543	No. 179, dated 5th December 1851 From—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	High contingent charges of the Jullundur Jail.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1358, dated 22nd November 1851, Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, furnishes his opinion on the subject of the high contingent charges of the Jullundur Jail, consequent on the large consumption of Port wine and opium, and forwards the form of a return which if filled up by District Officers and Civil Surgeons would afford the Board much useful information. (O.)	Nos. 45-7.
	No. 1426, dated 18th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In acknowledging receipt of letter No. 298, dated 17th November 1851, from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States with enclosure from the Civil Surgeon of Jullundur explaining that the heavy contingent charges of the Jullundur Jail Hospital are attributable to the large consumption of Port wine and opium, the Secretary to the Board of Administration suggests that the quantity of opium hitherto allowed to each man may be reduced, and that native spirits with the addition of astringents may be substituted for Port wine. Forwards copy of the form received from Dr. Hathaway, and requests he will cause it to be filled in for every jail in his Division as soon after the 1st of January in each year as possible. (D.)	
544	No. 590, dated 6th December 1851... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Check on the sale of stolen cattle.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1323, dated 19th November 1851, the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States intimates that the plan proposed by the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for checking the sale of stolen cattle appears to be one which would prove unsuccessful in its results and lead to extortion and corruption. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th December 1851—Nos. 14-15.

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544—*concld.*	No. 1443, dated 23rd December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Check on the sale of stolen cattle.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for his information, and states that the Board agree with Mr. Edmonstone in the view he takes of the matter. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1851—Nos. 14-15.
545	No. 314, dated 6th December 1851... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Procedure in cases of complaints against surveyors.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States submits for the orders of the Board a copy of correspondence with Captain Blagrave, Revenue Surveyor, respecting a native Surveyor who had been seized and punished by Mr. Barnes for certain acts of oppression without reference to him, and observes that in similar cases it would be preferable for District Officers to refer complaints to the Revenue Surveyor so long as there was any hope of securing his co-operation in suppressing acts of oppression, etc. At the same time states that he is not aware of the existence of the rule referred to by Captain Blagrave which enjoins that such a course should always be pursued. (O.)	Nos. 49-53.
	No. 1454, dated 26th December 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, that the Board consider the Magistrate of a district to have the fullest right to summon and punish any persons committing offences in his jurisdiction be they who they may; and although it is, as a general rule, the preferable course for the Magistrate to refer the case to the offender's immediate superior, this course must be optional. The Magistrate must be allowed the discretion of deciding the case at once, if upon a review of the circumstances he judges it better for the interests of the parties concerned that he should do so. Also requests that he will circulate these instructions to the District Officers of his Division. (D.)	
	No. 1455, dated 26th December 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Commissioner of the Lahore Division with a copy of the preceding letter, and requests he will make known to his District Officers the principle (as therein laid down) upon which they should proceed in similar cases. (D.)	

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546	Circular No. 63—1470, dated 30th December 1851. From - The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners in the Punjab (except Lahore), Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States, and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.	Disposal of convicts.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs all Commissioners in the Punjab (except Lahore), Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States, and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára, to send all prisoners whose sentences are for longer terms than 3 years, in future until further orders, to Lahore to undergo their imprisonment in the Central Jail. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd January 1852— Nos. 15-21.
	Circular Nos. 64—1472, dated 30th December 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners of the Multán, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs the Commissioners of the Multan, Jhelum and Leiah Divisions, and Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára to despatch to Lahore, without delay, the convicts in the jails of their respective divisions and districts, who are under sentence of imprisonment for life in transportation, in order that they may reach Lahore in January. (D.)	
	Circular No. 65—1474½, dated 30th December 1851. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Cis-Sutlej States) and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára.		With reference to Circular No 64 of this date, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners of Pesháwar and Hazára that for the future the 1st of November in each year is to be date of despatching from Lahore to Ambála all convicts under sentence of imprisonment for life in transportation beyond seas, and requests they will see that District Officers so arrange that life-prisoners from their respective jails may reach Lahore a week before that date.	
	No. 1475, dated 30th December 1851 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Commissioner of the Lahore Division will have in readiness for despatch to Ambála, so as to be there by the 1st of March, the convicts in his division sentenced to imprisonment for life in transportation beyond seas. Intimates that orders have been issued to the other Commissioners in the Punjab to send their life convicts to Lahore without delay, so that the whole party may proceed together to Ambála, and furnishes him with extracts from a correspondence between the Board and the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States respecting the best mode of forwarding them. (D.)	
547	No. 84, dated 13th February 1851... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Claim of Ram Dial and Jawala Sahai, former Kardas of Kunjah, for a refund of Rs. 1,150 and for the restoration of their houses.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Sheikhupura respecting the claim of Ram Dial and Jawala Sahai, former Kardars of Kunjah, for a refund of Rs. 1,150 realized by the sale of certain effects and for the restoration of their houses which were confiscated by Government in October 1848 owing to their having joined the rebel army under Chutter Singh. States that it is not quite clear whether the parties are innocent or guilty, and therefore requests the Board's orders in the case. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1852— Nos. 2-4.

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547—*concld.*	No. 20, dated 5th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Claim of Ram Dial and Jawala Sahai, former Kardars of Kunjah, for a refund of Rs 1,150 and the restoration of their houses	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the case of Ram Dial and Jawala Sahai is a very doubtful one, and under all circumstances the Board do not wish to be too hard on the parties : they accordingly authorize the restoration of their confiscated houses in the Sheikhupura District not as a matter of right but of favour, and direct that the refund of the money realized by the sale of their effects may be peremptorily refused. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1852— Nos. 2-4.
548	No. 540, dated 14th November 1851 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretasy to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Exemption of certain disfranchised Chiefs of the Cis-Sutlej States from the process of the Civil Courts.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the orders of Government, dated the 11th May 1850, No. 146, exempting certain disfranchised Chiefs of the Cis-Sutlej from the process of the Civil courts on account of claims in which the cause of action may have arisen prior to the 8th June 1849. States that if these Chiefs are themselves protected from the process of the Civil court on account of claims of a certain class, they cannot have any right to coerce their debtors or defaulters on account of claims of the same class, through the agency of these very courts, and recommends that if any of the Chiefs alluded to shall bring a suit in the Civil court, they should be precluded thereafter from pleading the privilege of exemption in bar of any suit that may be laid against them. (O.)	No. 5-6.
	No. 21, dated 5th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board concur in the view he has taken of the subject and authorize the adoption of the course recommended. The Chief desirous of instituting a suit should be clearly informed, before the case is entered, of the consequences to himself which will attach to the prosecution of it. (D.)	
549	No. 736, dated 26th December 1851 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in the Siálkot District.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a letter with annexures from the Deputy Commissioner of Siálkot respecting several murders which have been perpetrated within his district apparently by an organized body of Thags. Mentions that Lala Mithan Lal, Extra Assistant, has succeeded in apprehending several men who confess their crimes, and implicate several others still at large. Recommends therefore that the General Superintendent of Thaggi at Jubbulpur may be required to move up and prosecute the enquiries already commenced. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1852— Nos. 10-15.

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549—*concld.*	No. 24, dated 5th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Thaggi in the Siálkot District.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board concur with the Commissioner of the Lahore Division in thinking that the perpetrators of the murders alluded to are an organized fraternity acting under concerted rules. Mentions that Mr. Brereton, Assistant Commissioner of Siálkot, has peculiar qualifications for the duty of tracking out the murderers, and that the Board propose to appoint him to it with a deputation allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem and a suitable establishment. Requests he will communicate the appointment to his District Officers and direct them to give Mr. Brereton all the aid in their power. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1852— Nos. 10-15.
	Circular No. 5—25, dated 5th January 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Lahore) in the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers all Commissioners in the Punjab (except Lahore) to the organized system of murder by Thaggi which has been discovered to exist within the limits of the Wazírabad District, and mentions that the Board have determined to depute Mr. Hy. Brereton to the duty of tracking out the perpetrators of the murders, with concurrent jurisdiction in all the districts from the Indus to Ambála. Requests they will communicate the appointment to their District Officers and desire them to give Mr. Brereton all the aid in their power. (D.)	
	No. 26, dated 5th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for submission to the Governor-General, a copy of a letter No. 736, dated the 26th December 1851, from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, regarding a series of murders which have been committed in the Wazírabad District by an organized fraternity of Thags, together with a copy of the Board's reply, and requests His Lordship's sanction to the propositions contained in the 4th and 5th paragraphs of the letter to Mr. Barnes, *i.e.*, to the deputation for six months of Mr. Brereton upon the duty of tracking out the murderers, with a deputation salary of Rs. 150 per month and permission to charge for his travelling expenses, also with a small establishment as described in the paragraphs referred to. (D.)	
	No. 27, dated 5th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Assistant-General Superintendent of Thaggi.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Assistant-General Superintendent of Thaggi a copy of the letter from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division referred to in the foregoing, and of the Board's reply. States that Mr. Brereton will be told to keep him advised of his proceedings. (D.)	
549A	No. 38, dated 9th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Improvement of Peshawar Police.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Secretary to the Government of India to his letter of the 1st November 1851, No. 3380, conveying an intimation from the Most Noble the Governor-General of his wish that Mr. Jno. Lawrence, the Senior Member of	No. 36.

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549A—*concld.*		Improvement of Pesháwar Police.	the Board should proceed to Pesháwar and organize a system fitted to the requirements of the place, in regard to its Revenue and Police States that Mr. Jno. Lawrence has carried out these instructions, and submits, to be laid before His Lordship, a memorandum explanatory of his views in which the Board generally concur. (D)	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1852—No. 36.
550	No. 324, dated 16th December 1851 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Statement of Sessions cases tried by the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	In reply to the Board's circular of the 13th November 1851, No. 57, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards a statement of Sessions cases tried by him between the 17th November and 16th December 1851, and with reference to the Board's order enjoining a visit to the plains during the hot season, states that his own sense of what is expedient and proper would incline him to make that visit. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th January 1852—No. 9.
	No. 50, dated 12th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States that the Board are fully sensible of his earnest anxiety in the discharge of his duty to consult the public interests, and in forwarding to Government a copy of his communication of the 6th October 1851, No. 313, they felt great pleasure in noticing the highly commendable public spirit which it evinces. (D.)	
551	27th December 1851 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Kaim and Rahmat Ullah, convicted of having conspired to blow up the powder magazine of Fort Harkishengarh.	The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of two convicts named Kaim and Rahmat Ullah, convicted of having conspired to blow up the powder magazine of Fort Harkishengarh, and requests the Board's orders as to whether additional punishment should be awarded to the parties. (O.)	Nos. 44-8.
	No. 75, dated 15th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazára.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes an English abstract of the Board's proceedings with warrants sentencing the prisoners to suffer additional imprisonment,—Kaim for 2 years and Rahmat Ullah for 3. (D.)	
552	No. 329, dated 18th December 1851 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a prisoner named Hanwanta, convicted of murder.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of a prisoner named Hanwanta, convicted of the murder of a woman named Dola from feelings of jealousy, and proposes that he be sentenced to suffer death. At the same time adds that his opinion is that capital punishment should be reserved for cases which may be marked by greater atrocity of character than is evinced in the present one. (O.)	Nos. 62-6.

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552—*concld.*	No. 80, dated 16th January 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Case of a prisoner named Hanwanta, convicted of murder.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards an English abstract of the Board's proceedings in the case, with a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer capital punishment, and with reference to the concluding portion of the Commissioner's letter states that the Board are of opinion that a more cold-blooded murder can hardly be conceived than this one, the prisoner having deliberately loaded a pistol and taking his sword lain in wait hoping to destroy both the woman and her paramour, but as the deceased came alone, he cut her down on the high road where she instantly expired. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th January 1852— Nos. 62-6.
553	No. 7, dated 3rd January 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of convicts on the Hindustán and Tibet Road.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Briggs, Superintendent of the Hindustán and Tibet Road, requesting to be furnished with 200 convicts for employment on the tunnel near Dagshai. States that he is unable to meet the requisition from the Cis-Sutlej States, and therefore refers the matter for the Board's orders. (O.)	Nos. 90 92.
	No. 95, dated 17th January 1852 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the only division from which the Board could sanction prisoners being furnished to Lieutenant Briggs is the Division in which he is employed, *viz.*, the Cis-Sutlej, and as this cannot be done, Lieutenant Briggs should be informed accordingly. Adds that as a general rule, the Board object to prisoners being employed away from the Saddar station. (D.)	
554	No. 102, dated 20th January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Thaggi in the Siálkot District.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that if Lala Mithan Lal's services can be spared for a short time the Board think that he had better remain with Mr. Brereton and act in concert with him, as the crime of Thaggi appears to be much more extensive than was at first believed to be. Adds that the Board also wish him to ascertain what Sardar Jaimal Singh is doing, and if he (Commissioner) thinks it advisable, requests he will direct him to come up and aid Mr. Brereton. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th January 1852— No. 14.
555	No. 210, dated 12th April 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Suit lodged against Government by Bashi Mall, Mul Chand and others, Bankers at Lahore.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that a suit has been lodged against Government in the Deputy Commissioner's Court at Lahore by Bashi Mall, Mul Chand and others, Bankers, at Lahore for Rs. 9,200. Forwards copy of the plaint and proceedings in the case and requests the Board's orders thereon. (D.)	Nos. 15-16.

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555—*concld.*	No. 103, dated 21st January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Suit lodged against Government by Bashi Mall, Mul Chand and others, Bankers at Lahore.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that after reviewing the principles involved in giving a judicial cognizance to the Diwáni Court over acts done by Government officers in an executive capacity, especially prior to, or about the time of, the political settlement of the Punjab in March 1849, they are decidedly of opinion that no jurisdiction to try the suit referred to can be held to be vested in the Civil Judicature of the Punjab, and they accordingly request that the plaint be disallowed and the value of all the stamp paper in the case be refunded. Adds that the Board's robkari in the Political Department relating to this case is also forwarded for his information. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th January 1852—Nos. 15-16.
556	No. 104, dated 21st January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Refund of stamp duty in certain cases.	The Secretray to the Board of Administration informs the Secretary to the Government of India that in a new country cases in which a complicated principle is involved are not unfrequently preferred before the Civil Courts, and, after a long litigation, it may be that no result is obtained by the final decree which can compensate the plaintiff for the cost to which he has been exposed by the stamps required to be used. Recommends therefore that the Board be empowered to direct the return of the value of stamps whenever the uncertainty of the law or the proceedings of the officers of Government may in their estimation exempt the plaintiff from fault in the institution of his suit. (D.)	
557	No. 283, dated 22nd January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Measures for improving the Police of the Peshá war District.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 26, dated the 9th January 1852, submitting a memo. by Mr. J. Lawrence respecting the measures necessary for rendering the Police of the Peshá war District thoroughly effective and for giving protection to life and property, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Most Noble the Governor-General's sanction to the increase of the expenditure which the measure involves, amounting to Rs. 57,698 per annum, in anticipation of the sanction of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, and conveys His Lordship's best thanks to Mr. J. Lawrence for the service he has rendered to the Government in undertaking this special duty and for the able and complete execution of his mission. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st January 1852—Nos. 31-2.
	No. 150, dated 29th January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Pesháwar Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter, together with extracts from the memorandum therein alluded to, to the Commissioner of the Pesháwar Division, and requests that the proposed establishments may be organized as speedily as possible, and that only able and efficient men are taken both for the Horse and Foot Police. Adds that such	

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557—*concld.*	...	Measures for improving the Police of the Peshawar District.	of the Multán horse as are not willing to serve in the Risalas as they will be now organized can take their discharge, receiving a donation of three months' pay and parwanas stating that they give up service of their own accord.	Progs. for the week ending 31st January 1852—Nos. 31-2.
558	No. 34, dated 20th January 1852 ... From—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Suppression of Thaggi in the Punjab.	Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, requests the Secretary to the Board of Administration will furnish him with information obtained on the recent discovery of Thaggi in the Punjab and Board's opinions and views regarding arrangements for the suppression of the system. (O.)	Nos. 40-41.
	No. 154, dated 30th January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, with a copy of all the correspondence on the subject, and states that the Board hope in a short time to transmit a much more full report. (D.)	
559	No. 59, dated 23rd January 1852 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in the Punjab.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an original letter from Mr. Brereton disclosing further particulars that have come to light in regard to Thaggi in the Punjab. Makes observations on the subject, and states that Mithan Lall has been placed at Mr. Brereton's disposal pending the sanction of the Board. Also solicits authority to purchase 3 pals for the use of the prisoners and guards and a single-poled tent for Mr. Brereton's office. (O)	No. 5.
	No. 162, dated 31st January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration approves of the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division having deputed Extra Assistant Mithan Lall to act under Mr. Brereton's orders, and empowers him to sanction the entertainment of any establishment that may be considered necessary. Sanctions the purchase of the single-poled tent and pals required, and states that it has been suggested to Government that the General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi should proceed to the Punjab with one or more of his most experienced assistants and adopt measures for the suppression of the crime. (D.)	
	No. 163, dated 31st January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		With reference to letter No. 18, dated the 5th January 1852, respecting the existence of an organized system of Thaggi in the Punjab, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India copies of correspondence on the subject showing that the crime exists to an appalling extent, and recommends that the General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi may be required to proceed to the Punjab with one or more	

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559—*concld.*	...	Thaggi in the Punjab.	of his experienced assistants and assume the superintendence of the measures likely to be most effective for extirpating it. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st January 1852— No. 5.
560	No. 29, dated 19th January 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Vaccination in Simla Hills.	Referring to the Board's letter No. 1396, dated 12th December 1851, with its enclosures, respecting the deputation of Dr. Cannon into the interior of the district of Simla for the purpose of enquiring into the progress of vaccination, etc., the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States recommends that, either his *bonâ fide* expenses during the time he is so employed, be passed in contingent bills, or that a specific travelling allowance of Rs. 5 per diem be sanctioned. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th February 1852— No. 21.
	No. 174, dated 3rd February 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of the preceding letter for submission to the Governor-General, and solicits sanction to the Commissioner's proposition that Dr. Cannon's travelling allowance be fixed at Rs. 5 per diem with the understanding that the charge is only to be made for such time as he is upon his tour. (D.)	
561	No. 297, dated 24th January 1852... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 18, dated 5th January 1852, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Governor-General's sanction to the deputation for six months of Mr. Brereton for the purpose of tracking out the perpetrators of the recent murders in the Wazírabad District and to the entertainment of the establishment proposed for him; also authorizes the grant of a deputation allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem to Mr. Brereton with permission to charge for his travelling expenses. (D.)	Nos. 16-7.
	No. 186, dated 4th February 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for information, with reference to the Board's communication No. 24, dated 5th January 1852. (D.)	
562	No. 381, dated 22nd January 1852 .. From—Captain J. N. Sharp, Officiating Executive Engineer, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Materials required for the buildings at Mián Mír.	Captain J. N. Sharp, Officiating Executive Engineer, Lahore, reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that nearly all the bricks supplied by Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, from the city walls have been expended on the buildings at Mián Mír, and that without some further and immediate aid the works must be stopped; suggests therefore that permission be granted to the demolition of certain old buildings in and out of the city, or that the material of the counterscarp of the city wall be made available, and observes that it is at present in a ruinous condition, and that the expense of keeping it in repair will be very great. (O).	Nos. 91-3.

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562—*concld.*	5th February 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain J. N. Sharp, Officiating Executive Engineer, Lahore.	Materials required for the buildings at Mián Mír.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Executive Engineer with a copy of the following letter written to Government on the subject of his proposition. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th February 1852— Nos. 91-3.
	No. 201, dated 5th February 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of the preceding letter from Captain Sharp. Mentions the objections that exist to the destruction of the several buildings therein alluded to, and recommends that the material of the city counterscarp be used. (D)	
563	No. 64, dated 24th January 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab,	Central Jail at Lahore.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 539, dated 5th May 1851, the Commissioner of Lahore Divison furnishes his opinion in regard to the remarks of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors respecting the Central Jail at Lahore, and expresses his regret that the reference was not taken up by his predecessor who, by experience of the country and knowledge of jail statistics, could have furnished a reply much more valuable and conclusive. (O)	Nos. 128-29.
	No. 209, dated 7th February 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Brigadier Commanding at Lahore.		Referring to the proceedings of a committee appointed by him at the request of the Board in May 1851 to report upon the site of the new jail, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Brigadier Commanding at Lahore to appoint another committee to report whether the site selected for the Jail is a good one and if the building, in a sanitary point of view, is adapted for the purpose for which it is intended. (D.)	
564	No. 48, dated 4th February 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cases regarding breach of promise of marriage.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to a case which has come before him in appeal involving a breach of promise of marriage. Requests the Board's instructions as to whether the fulfilment of such engagements are to be authoritatively enforced, and whether cases in which a female has been fraudulently betrothed to two different parties, the offender is punishable in a criminal court. Adds that if the operation of the court in either case is to be limited to awarding indemnification he would be glad to know how the amount is to be determined. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th February 1852— Nos. 64-5.
	No. 235, dated 13th February 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that by the enclosures of the Board's letter No. 171, dated the 3rd February 1852, he will perceive that the first proposition submitted by the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States is negatived, and that no engagement of the nature alluded to is to be enforced. As regards cases of fraudulent betrothals, states that the offence is not	

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564—*concld.*	...	Cases regarding breach of promise of marriage.	punishable in a criminal court, but must be regarded as a civil injury, and, lastly, as regards the amount of indemnification to be awarded, states that the Board are of opinion that the aggrieved parties may lay their own damages which need not be limited merely to actual expenses incurred, but may embrace compensation for injured feelings and loss of honour. The process in such cases should be brief and the award carried out at once. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th February 1852—Nos. 64-5.
	Circular No. 15—236, dated 13th February 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.		In continuation of Circular No. 10, dated the 3rd February 1852, regarding the mode of dealing with cases of violation of marriage contract, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners under the Board extracts from the preceding letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States on the subject together with a copy of the Board's reply. (D.)	
565	No. 13 dated 27th January 1852 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Muhammad Ali and his wife Mussammat Piari.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of proceedings in the case of Muhammad Ali and his wife Mussammat Piari—the latter convicted of wilful murder of a boy named Soorja for the sake of his ornaments, and the former of having been an accessory after the fact. Recommends therefore that Mussammat Piari be sentenced to suffer death, and that Muhammad Ali be imprisoned for three years. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st February 1852—Nos. 4-8.
	No. 254, dated 16th February 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States with an English abstract of the Board's proceedings to the effect that they convict the prisoners respectively of the crimes laid to their charge, and consider the woman deserving of capital punishment, but in accordance with the practice followed in the Punjab with regard to females they remit the punishment of death and sentence her to imprisonment for life in transportation and her husband Muhammad Ali to imprisonment for three years as recommended. (D.)	
566	No. 269, dated 20th February 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Conduct of Sant Singh, Havaldar, whilst employed on guard at the Siálkot Jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division Vernacular proceedings relating to the conduct of Sant Singh, Havaldar, whilst employed on guard at the Siálkot Jail, and observes that the disclosures which the investigation of the Havaldar's conduct have brought out exhibit the greatest negligence on the part of the controlling authorities. The Board therefore desire that the Jail Daroga be instantly dismissed, and that the Commissioner take an early opportunity of visiting the Siálkot Jail for the purpose of carefully scrutinizing the state of discipline, &c.,	

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566—*concld.*	...	Conduct of Sant Singh, Havaldar, whilst employed on guard at the Siálkot Jail.	in it, and reporting on its condition and management. Adds that from numerous complaints preferred to the Board they fear that the Siálkot District is not at all in a satisfactory state, and that every department seems to require scrutiny. They request a report on the general administration of the district with Commissioner's opinion of the official character and qualifications of all the officers. (D.)	
567	No. 121, dated 13th February 1852 From—Brigadier Tennant, C.B., Commanding at Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	The Central Jail in Lahore.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 209, dated the 7th February 1852, Brigadier Tennant, C.B., Commanding at Lahore, forwards the proceedings of the Special Medical Committee convened to report upon the salubrity and suitableness of the site of the Central Jail in course of construction at Lahore. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st February 1852—Nos. 65-8.
	No. 273, dated 20th February 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		With reference to his letter, dated the 19th April 1851, No. 1237, conveying the orders of the Court of Directors respecting the new jail at Lahore, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India copies of reports regarding the salubrity of the site, &c., and states that the Board hope these reports will prove satisfactory to the Governor-General and the Hon'ble Court. (D.)	
	No. 274, dated 20th February 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for information of the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, a copy of the preceding letter and the proceedings of the Medical Committee assembled to report on the site of the jail. (D.)	
568	No. 209, dated 13th February 1852 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Refunds of stamp duty in certain cases.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated 21st January 1852, No. 67, the Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Governor-General's sanction to the exercise by the Board of a discretionary power in special cases as regards the return of fees leviable from suitors in the civil courts in the Punjab, such power not to extend to local officers, and an annual report of the cases in which it has been exercised by the Board to be submitted to Government. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 28th February 1852—No. 52.
569	Circular No. 20, dated 28th February 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab.	Judicial powers for Tahsildars.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers all Commissioners to Sir H. M. Elliot's letter, dated the 12th February 1852, No. 473, conveying the sanction of the Governor-General to Tahsildars in the Punjab being vested with judicial powers. States that rules have been drawn out in the Vernacular for their special guidance, and forwards those which are to be observed in the administration of civil justice with the Board's orders and observations thereon. (D.)	No. 79.

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570	11th February 1852 ... ... From—The Revd. M. J. Jamieson, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Application of Revd. M. J. Jamieson for appointment of Registrar of Marriages at Ambála.	Revd. M. J. Jamieson forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a petition for submission to the Most Noble the Governor-General, soliciting the appointment of Registrar of Marriages at Ambála. (O.)	Proes. for the week ending 6th March 1852— Nos. 15-18.
	No. 316, dated 1st March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Revd. M. J. Jamieson.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Revd. M. J. Jamieson that his petition has been forwarded to the Governor-General in Council.	
	No. 317, dated 1st March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits, for the orders of the Governor-General in Council, the petition received with the preceding letter from the Revd. M J. Jamieson, and states that the Board know this gentleman to be a Presbyterian minister of the American Mission respected by his congregation. (D.)	
571	No. 284, dated 20th February 1852 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 98, dated the 31st January 1852, the Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India forwards a copy of a letter written to the General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thaggi directing that officer to proceed to the Punjab.	Nos. 35-8.
	No. 326, dated 3rd March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to previous correspondence respecting recent Thaggi cases in the Wazírabad District, and forwards a copy of the preceding letter for his information, with a request that he will direct Mr. Brereton to act in accordance with any orders he may receive from the Superintendent. (D.)	
	No. 327, dated 3rd March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi for information. (D.)	
572	No. 313, dated 20th February 1852 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Vaccination in Simla Hill States.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 112, dated the 3rd February 1852, the Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the grant of a deputation allowance of Rs. 5 per diem to Dr. Cannon whilst that officer may be employed in superintending vaccine operations in the interior of the district of Simla. (O.)	Nos. 68-9.
	No. 343, dated 4th March 1852 .. From The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for information, with reference to his letter No. 29, dated the 19th January 1852. (D.)	

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573	No. 4428, dated 26th February 1852 From—Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere, Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Removal of the Lahore City counterscarp.	Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere, Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to the Board's correspondence with Captain Sharp, Executive Engineer at Lahore, on the subject of the removal of the city counterscarp, and suggests certain modifications in the proposed measure. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th March 1852— No. 75.
	No. 346, dated 4th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General, in continuation of letter No. 120, dated the 5th March 1852. (D.)	
574	Circular No. 22—365, dated 8th March 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners except Cis-Sutlej States.	Coining of counterfeit rupees.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of all Commissioners except Cis-Sutlej States, an extract from a memo. by Mr James Prinsep, Assistant Commissioner at Siálkot, regarding the coining of counterfeit rupees as practised under the Sikh Government, and requests they will instruct their District Officers to turn their attention to the matter in order to ascertain whether there is any base coining in their districts at present and to put down the practice wherever it exists. (D)	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1852— No. 21.
575	No. 174, dated 22nd July 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Adoption of measures for checking the ravages of wolves.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States acknowledges receipt of the Board's Circular No 24, dated the 17th May 1851, directing the adoption of measures for checking the ravages of wolves. In reply, reports that 10 children have been carried off by them within 3 months, and requests the Board's sanction to a reward of Rs. 30 disbursed by the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur for the destruction of 3 of these animals. (O.)	Nos. 28-30.
	No 369, dated 10th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the reward of Rs. 30 disbursed by the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur. Observes that Rs. 10 a head for the destruction of wolves is too much, and requests that in future no more than the reward sanctioned by Government be given for each wolf, except in special cases, when a reward for good conduct may be added. (D.)	
576	Circular No. 23—371, dated 10th March 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners, except Lahore.	Sale of lands in execution of decrees of the Civil Court.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners except Lahore a copy of a circular addressed by the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to his District Officers on the subject of the sale of lands in execution of decrees of the Civil Court; states that the Board entirely approve of the spirit of this circular, and requests they will issue similar instructions to their District Officers. The system of recovering the amount of decrees by instalments from the debtor should be encouraged, and agricultural implements and plough bullocks should be excluded from distraint (D.)	Nos. 36-8.

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576—*concld*	No. 5, dated 10th March 1852 ... From - The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Sale of lands in execution of decrees of the Civil Court.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board entirely approve of his circular regarding the sale of lands in execution of civil decrees and have sent a copy of it to other Commissioners with a request that they will issue similar instructions in their several divisions. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1852— Nos. 36-8.
577	No. 101, dated 20th February 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Interference of one Umar in a "Sheeah" procession at Ludhiána.	As directed in Board's letter, dated the 13th February 1852, No. 240, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards original correspondence relating to the interference of one Umar in a "Sheeah" procession at Ludhiána.	
	No. 386, dated 12th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration returns the original correspondence with the Board's observations thereon, to the effect that, although the Government does not interfere with the religion and customs of the people, it will not permit one sect to insult another, or to carry in procession anything which is calculated to excite ill-feeling and tumult. Requests that he will at once ascertain through the Ludhiána authorities what was the former custom with the Sheeahs and Sunnees, and uphold it in future by binding the heads of the sects to act accordingly and warning them that any future breach of the peace will be severely punished. (D.)	
578	No. 419, dated 27th February 1852 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Materials for completion of Mián Mír Cantonment.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated the 5th February 1852, No. 120, the Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General approves of the old buildings in and about Lahore and the city counterscarp being made over to the Executive Engineer at Lahore to provide bricks for the completion of the Mián Mir Cantonment. (O.)	Nos. 79-81.
	No. 391, dated 12th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, for information. Mentions what old buildings are there alluded to, and states that the Board leave it to him to decide and direct in what manner the material of the counterscarp shall be made available. As regards the mode in which the counterscarp shall be secured when the supporting wall of brick has been removed, observes that the question is so completely a scientific one that the Board would leave its decision to Colonel Napier himself, and only recommend that whatever may be finally determined the subject should be taken into consideration in connection with that of the drainage of the ditch, so as to economize as much as possible, both money and labour. (D).	

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578—*concld.*	No. 392—225, dated 12th March 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Materials for completion of Miân Mír Cantonment.	In continuation of letter No. 227, dated the 4th March 1852, regarding the removal of the counterscarp of the city, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of a letter written to the Superintending Engineer on the subject, and enquires in what Department the work of securing the counterscarp after the wall has been removed is to be carried on. Proposes employing Lieutenant Glover on the duty under Colonel Napier. (D).	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1852— Nos. 79-81.
	No. 392—225, dated 12th March 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and, with reference to the Board's letter to Colonel Tremenhere, requests that he will place himself in communication with that officer on the subject of the city counterscarp. Adds that the Board have referred to Government the question whether the necessary work connected with it shall be left to the Superintending or the Civil Engineer. (D.)	
579	No. 479, dated 5th March 1852 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of slave dealing.	With reference to previous correspondence respecting a case of slave dealing in the Hill State of Jubbal, the Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the Governor-General in Council sees no objection to the measures proposed by Mr. Mansel in his minute of the 31st October 1851, except as regards making adultery a criminal offence, without further knowledge of the people for whom the rule is proposed. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th March 1852— Nos. 13-14.
	No. 414, dated 16th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter, with a copy of Mr. Mansel's minute therein referred to, is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for communication to the Superintendent of Hill States. (D.)	
580	No. 104, dated 9th March 1852 ... From—The General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Operations against the Thag gangs of the Punjab.	The General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that he is marching towards the Punjab, and will be followed by his Assistant, Major Graham. Meantime requests that Mr. Brereton be permitted to continue his operations against the Thag gangs of the Punjab, and be directed to report to him (the Superintendent) through Major Goldney any further information that he may obtain. (O.)	Nos. 17-20.
	No. 416, dated 17th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—H. Brereton, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the subject of the preceding letter to Mr. H. Brereton, Assistant Commissioner. (D.)	

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580—*concld.*	No. 417, dated 17th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi.	Operations against the Thag gangs of the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi that the foregoing letter has been written to Mr. Brereton, and that the Board purpose continuing this officer on his present duties, which they have reason to believe he is conducting with much success. Adds that from the experience Mr. Brereton has had in the Lahore Division the Board think he should not at present be deputed beyond its limits, but that the attention of Major Graham or any other available assistant should be directed to other portions of the Punjab. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th March 1852— Nos. 17-20.
	No. 417*a*, dated 17th March 1852 ...		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division. (D.)	
581	No. 204, dated 9th March 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the general administration of the Siálkot District.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 269, dated the 2..th February 1852, requesting a report on the general administration of the Siálkot District. In reply forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, testifies to the cleanliness of the jail, the good order of the different offices and the satisfactory state of the accounts, and adds that, as Mr. Inglis possesses good abilities and has a fair knowledge of his work, nothing seems wanting to make him an efficient and a popular officer excepting a more unreserved intercourse with the people of his district than he has hitherto maintained. (O.)	No. 48-9.
	No 432, dated 19th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board consider that his report is on the whole favourable to Mr. Inglis, but it is clear that he is not as accessible to the people as he should be, and they trust that in future he will correct this defect. It will afford the Board pleasure to learn at the end of the current year that the points in regard to which the administration of the Siálkot District has been defective have been attended to, and that the people receive that sympathy and attention from Mr. Inglis without which not only is it impossible for an officer to bear a good name among them, but even to do his duty as it should be done. (D.)	
582	No. 284, dated 11th March 1852 ... From—Lieutenant R. Fagan, To— The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Material for works at Mián Mír.	Under instructions from Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer, Lieutenant R. Fagan reports to the Board that 5 crores of bricks (from the city walls of Lahore) have been furnished to the Department of Public Works at Mián Mír, and that their value at the market price is fifty thousand rupees. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th March 1852— Nos. 10-12.

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582—*concld.*	No. 453, dated 22nd March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Material for works at Mián Mír.	A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General in Council. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th March 1852— Nos. 10-12.
	No. 454, dated 22nd March 1852 ...		A copy of the same letter is forwarded to the Superintending Surgeon, Punjab Circle, for information. (D.)	
583	No. 466, dated 4th March 1852 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Use of tobacco and opium by prisoners.	The Under-Secretary to the Government of India requests that the Secretary to the Board of Administration will inform him of the practice which obtains in the jails under the Board as regards the use of tobacco and opium by prisoners under sentence to hard labour. (O.)	Nos. 18-19.
	Circular No. 25-456, dated 23rd March 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to Commissioners in the Punjab, and requests they will report within a week what is the practice in regard to the use of tobacco and opium by prisoners within the jails of their respective divisions. (D.)	
584	20th March 1852 ... From—Messrs. Jehangir & Co., Parsi Merchants, Ferozepore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Supply of musquets and rifles to the Nawab of Bahawalpur.	Referring to their former letter, dated the 16th February 1852, requesting permission to supply musquets and rifles to the Nawab of Bahawalpur, Messrs. Jehangir & Co., Parsi Merchants, Ferozepore, forward a copy of a letter addressed to their firm at Bombay by the Military Board intimating that the sanction of Government is necessary to their furnishing the Nawab with the arms. (D.)	Nos. 56-8.
	No. 476, dated 26th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Messrs. Jehangir & Co., Parsi Merchants, Ferozepore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Messrs. Jehangir & Co., Parsi Merchants, Ferozepore, that a reference has been made to Government on the subject, and that when a reply is received, the result will be communicated. (D.)	
585	No. 70, dated 18th February 1852... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cases for decision by a Punchayat.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards for the Board's information a copy of a circular issued by him containing instructions in regard to the precautions which should be observed by officers presiding in Civil Courts when making over cases for decision to a Punchayat. (O.)	Nos. 61-4.
	No. 478, dated 26th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States that the Board highly approve of the instructions issued by him, and have embodied the spirit of them in rules which they are now drawing out for the guidance of Tahsildars in deciding civil cases, and have also circulated a copy of the instructions to the other Commissioners. (D.)	

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585—*concld.*	Circular No. 27—479, dated 26th March 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Commissioners (except Trans-Sutlej States) under the Board.	Cases for decision by a Punchayat.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners (except Trans-Sutlej States) under the Board a copy of the letter of instructions issued by the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for their information and guidance, and adds that in the Board's opinion no decision of a Punchayat should be upheld by the presiding officer when he has reason to believe that decision to be unjust; and further a Punchayat should attend in court and decide before the court; they should not be allowed to take cases to their homes and retain them for an indefinite time. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th March 1852— Nos. 61-4.
586	No. 145, dated 8th March 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Enquiry regarding punishment for concealment of guns by Sardars.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála enquiring whether the Sardars in his district are liable to punishment for having guns concealed in their forts, and requests the Board's opinion on the question. Observes that as the disarming order was declared not applicable to the Cis-Sutlej States he has desired Mr. Bowring to suspend further proceedings in regard to the institution of a search, as the measure would prove very distasteful to the Chiefs and be likely to do more harm than good. (O.)	No. 106.
	No. 488, dated 27th March 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration expresses the Board's concurrence in the opinion of the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. At the same time states that they think it would be expedient to obtain the surrender of any guns that may be concealed in the Cis-Sutlej States, or to get the Chiefs to break them up by verbally informing them, or their Vakils, that there can be no necessity for their keeping guns, and that it is the expectation of Government that the Chiefs will themselves dispense with such as they have. Adds that in the event of the guns being surrendered the metal or the value of it should be given to the owners. (D.)	
587	No. 670, dated 19th March 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Petition presented by the Vakils of Zillah Ludhiána.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a petition presented by the Vakils of Zillah Ludhiána complaining that they have been thrown out of employment, and requests the Board will favour the Government with any remarks they may have to offer on the subject. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1852— Nos. 34-6.
	No. 511, dated 1st April 1852 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Governor-General in Council, a copy of a circular issued by the Board, from which it will be seen that they have not altogether forbidden the employment of Vakils, but that they	

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587—*concld.*		Petition presented by the Vakils of Zillah Ludhiána.	have enjoined on their officers that they should get parties as much as possible to plead in person or through their own agents, as the inhabitants of many parts of the country, and amongst other places of Ludhiána, have petitioned against the malpractices of the Vakils and prayed for their dismissal. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1852— Nos. 34-6.
588	No. 699, dated 19th March 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Sanction to Messrs. Jehangir & Co. supplying the Nawab of Bahâwalpur with musquets and rifles.	In reply to the Board's letter of the 1st March 1852, No. 217, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to Messrs. Jehangir & Co. supplying the Nawab of Bahâwalpur with musquets and rifles. (O.)	No. 39.
	No. 512*a*, dated 1st April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Messrs. Jehangir & Co., Ferozepore.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Messrs Jehangir & Co., Ferozepore, for their information. (D.)	
	No 512*b*, dated 1st April 1852 ...		A copy is also forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information. (D)	
589	No. 671, dated 19th March 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of the Revd. M. J. Jamieson as Registrar of Marriages, Ambála District.	With reference to letter of the 1st March 1852, No. 218, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India informs the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to appoint the Revd. M. J. Jamieson to be Registrar of Marriages in the district of Ambála. (O.)	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 513, dated 1st April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States for communication to the Revd. Mr. Jamieson. (D.)	
590	No. 145, dated 24th March 1852 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Infanticide ...	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division acknowledges receipt of the Board's Circular No. 60, dated the 8th December 1851, regarding the supposed prevalence of infanticide in the Punjab. In reply, submits copies of the reports of his District Officers on the subject, and observes that in the course of his circuit he has himself made enquiries the result of which leads to the belief that, if the practice exists at all in the Leiah Division, it is to such a trifling extent that any special measures for its suppression are not needed. (O.)	Nos. 50-55.
	No. 517, dated 2nd April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Leiah Division that the Board have read the report submitted by Captain Farrington with much interest, and, with reference to his remark that Diwan Sawan Mal endeavoured to suppress female infanticide, states that the Board would be glad if Captain Farrington could procure either the original or copy of any order the Diwan may have issued on the subject. (D.)	

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591	Circular No. 30—523, dated 3rd April 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.	Form of oaths for Roman Catholics.	Adverting to the objections which the late Mr. Carne, who was a Roman Catholic, had to taking the usual oaths of a Justice of the Peace with reference to that part which alludes to the powers and rights of the Pope of Rome over British subjects, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners under the Board a form of oaths which Catholics can take, in view to its being brought into use should any Roman Catholic gentleman be nominated to the Commission. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1852— No. 101.
592	Circular No. 31—539, dated 6th April 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.	Village Chaukidari system.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Commissioners under the Board refers to the great dissatisfaction which has been caused by District Officers either nominating the village Chaukidars or allowing their Police to do so. States that this measure is quite opposed to the principles on which the Board desire to see the village Chaukidari system rest, and requests they will warn District Officers that all nominations to vacancies in the village Police rest with the zamindars alone. Enquires whether a different system has hitherto existed, and, if so, in what districts. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th April 1852— No. 26.
593	No. 322 .. From—Lieutenant R. Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Lahore city ditch.	Lieutenant R. Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires whether the rubbish thrown into the Lahore city ditch from the wall is to be used by the Superintending Engineer for the purpose of building a wall which is intended to replace the counterscarp. Observes that the earth, &c., thrown into the ditch was to fill up sundry hollows, and that if it be used by Colonel Tremenhere, earth must be procured elsewhere at a considerable outlay for the purpose. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th April 1852— Nos. 33-6.
	No. 591, dated 12th April 1852 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant R. Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Lieutenant R. Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer, that the following letter has been written to Colonel Tremenhere.	
	No. 592, dated 12th April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, and requests he will not allow the rubbish therein referred to to be used until the Board shall have consulted with Colonel Napier on the subject. (D.)	
	No. 593, dated 12th April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, for favour of advice, a copy of Lieutenant Fagan's letter, together with a copy of the Board's reply. (D.)	

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594	No. 596, dated 13th April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Application of certain residents of Lahore for permission to entertain pleaders.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division a Vernacular proceeding by the Junior member together with copy of a petition from certain residents of Lahore praying that they be allowed to entertain pleaders as it would be inconvenient to themselves to leave their business and attend at Court, and authorizes compliance with the prayer on condition that only Punjabis shall be admitted as Vakils. (D.)	Progs for the week ending 17th April 1852— No. 42.
595	No. 56, dated 10th April 1852 ... From—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Civil Surgeon, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Removal of the Lunatic Hospital, Lahore.	Dr. C. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration brings to notice that the building in the town at present used as a Lunatic Hospital is altogether unsuited for such a purpose, and requests that the European Hospital at Anarkali (about to be vacated by the removal to Mián Mír of Her Majesty's 96th Foot) may be made available for the purpose of a Lunatic Asylum and Civil Hospital and Dispensary. (O.)	No. 78.
	No. 621, dated 16th April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Civil Surgeon.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Dr. C. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, that the building alluded to is at present required by the Board for the treasury and English District Office, but when the other buildings in Anarkali are made over to the Civil authorities they might give up the hospital. As, however, the Commander-in-Chief wishes that in the event of an emergency the buildings shall be available for troops, the Board think that it will not be possible to comply with his request at any time. (D.)	
596	No. 946, dated 2nd April 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Counterscarp of the Lahore city ditch.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 255, dated the 12th March 1852, and states that the Governor-General is of opinion that the work of securing the counterscarp of the Lahore city ditch should be entrusted to Lieutenant Glover under Colonel Napier. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1852— Nos. 19-21.
	No. 636, dated 20th April 1852 . From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer, for his information, in continuation of letter No. 393, dated the 12th March 1852.	
	No. 637, dated 20th April 1852 ...		A copy of the preceding Government letter is forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, for his information.	

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596—*concld.*	No. 3, dated 8th April 1852 ... From—Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Counterscarp of the Lahore city ditch.	Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, Civil Engineer, acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 393, dated the 12th March 1852, and intimates that Lieutenant Glover has been directed to refer to the section of the Lahore city ditch and point out to the Executive Engineer, or whoever is employed in superintending the removal of the counterscarp, the places which require filling up with the rubbish which will be left. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1852— Nos. 19-21.
597	No. 156, dated 15th April 1852 ... From—The General Superintendent of Thaggi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in the Punjab.	The General Superintendent of Thaggi addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration reports his arrival at Amritsar, and states that after consulting with Mr. Brereton he has decided on taking that officer and his establishment to Siálkot, and on making that station his own head-quarters during the hot season. (O.)	Nos. 31-4.
	No. 641, dated 21st April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The General Superintendent of Thaggi.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the General Superintendent of Thaggi that the Board concur in his opinion that Siálkot is a good station from whence to carry on operations during the hot weather, and they will inform Commissioners of his arrival. (D.)	
	No. 641½, dated 21st April 1852 ...		A copy of the preceding correspondence is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for information. (D.)	
	Circular No. 35—642, dated 21st April 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners (except Lahore) under the Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates to the Commissioners (except Lahore) under the Board the arrival of Captain Sleeman, and requests that they and their District Officers will afford that officer all the aid in their power in the execution of his duty. (D.)	
598	No. 300, dated 14th April 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Seals of the Qazis.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that under Muhammadan rule, continued under the Sikhs, the Qazis were registrars of deeds and were provided with official seals which they still retain and may use for fraudulent purposes. Recommends therefore that the seals be either destroyed or the date of the present year engraved on them.	Nos. 53-4.
	No. 651, dated 22nd April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that all the official seals of the Qazis may be obtained and sent to the Board. (D.)	
599	No. 200, dated 6th April 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	System of child stealing existing in the Cis-Sutlej States.	In continuation of previous correspondence regarding a system of child stealing existing in the Cis-Sutlej States disclosed by one Phaggu, now a prisoner in the Agra Jail, the Commissioner of the	

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599—*concld.*		System of child stealing existing in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Cis-Sutlej States forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar stating that if the man were recalled and placed at his disposal, with a party of Najibs, some important disclosures respecting the crime might be made, provided authority be at the same time given to offer Phaggu pardon or a mitigation of the sentence passed against him. (O.)	
	No. 652, dated 22nd April 1852. ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces will obtain an order from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor to send a prisoner named Phaggu to Captain Larkins, the Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar. (D.)	
	No. 653, dated 22nd April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information, and requests he will have a descriptive-roll of the prisoner Phaggu prepared and sent direct to the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. Adds that the Board authorize Captain Larkins to offer Phaggu pardon, if he discloses any facts which will lead to the apprehension and conviction of parties concerned in child stealing, and requests he will communicate with Major Goldney on the subject of the Najibs required by Captain Larkins. (D.)	
600	No. 121, dated 12th April 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of 15 boats for flying bridges at Attock.	The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Peshâwar and Lieutenant Henderson regarding the 15 boats in course of construction at Attock for flying bridges. Observes that Lieutenant Lumsden's estimate is Rs. 200 for each boat, by which calculation a further sum of Rs. 1,050 is required for their completion, and for which sanction is now solicited. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1852— Nos. 77-9.
	No. 662, dated 23rd April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division that Government sanction has been solicited to the disbursement of a further sum of Rs. 1,050 on account of the boats alluded to. (D.)	
	No. 663, dated 23rd April 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the letter from the Commissioner of Peshâwar to the Secretary to the Government of India, and recommends that sanction be granted to the additional sum required for the completion of the boats as it is very necessary that they should be durable. (D.)	

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601	No. 1131, dated 16th April 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Petition of Ludhiána Vakils.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 311, dated the 1st April 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India states that the Governor-General in Council approves of the circular orders issued by the Board for encouraging suitors to plead in person, and requests that the Ludhiána Vakils, who petitioned Government on the subject, be informed that their petition has been rejected by His Lordship. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1852— Nos. 23-4.
	No. 756, dated 4th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		With reference to the Board's letter No 358, dated the 8th March 1852, to his address, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter for the information of the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States and for communication to the Vakils therein alluded to. (D.)	
602	No. 1116, dated 16th April 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Mortality in the jail at Thánesar.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Medical Board respecting the unusual mortality which prevailed in the jail at Thánesar during the latter portion of last year, and requests the Board will cause the necessary orders to be issued *to* have the prisoners paraded once a week regularly for inspection by the Medical Officer. (O.)	Nos. 38-9.
	Circular No. $\frac{43}{770}$, dated 5th May 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners under the Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Commissioners under the Board will instruct their District Officers to see that the practice of mustering prisoners once a week for the inspection of the Medical Officer in charge of the jail is not deviated from under any circumstances. (D.)	
	No. 771, dated 5th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, and refers him to the foregoing circular with the Board's request that he will issue the instructions therein referred to. (D.)	
603	No. 340, dated 26th April 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Inferior description of arms in use by the police.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards for the Board's perusal certain letters (in original) relating to the very inferior description of arms at present in use by the police of his division, and recommends that the flint musquets formerly used by the Regular Native Army and now lying useless in store, may be indented for. (O.)	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 789, dated 7th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, and states that as the Board are of opinion that it will be prudent for some years to have the Tahsil and Thana establishments armed as well as possible, they solicit the sanc-	

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603—*concld.*		Inferior description of arms in use by the police.	tion of the Governor-General in Council to their indenting on the Government magazines for carbines, musquets for the full number of the police under their jurisdiction. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1852— Nos. 72-3.
604	Circular No. $\frac{45}{811}$, dated 11th May 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.	Rules for the guidance of Tahsildars vested with judicial powers.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners under the Board, for distribution, printed copies, in English and the Vernacular, of the rules which the Board have drawn up for the guidance of such Tahsildars as may be vested with judicial powers in criminal matters, within their respective divisions. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th May 1852— Nos. 7-8.
605	No. 58, dated 28th April 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed Central Jail at Ambála.	With reference to previous correspondence on the subject of building a Central Jail at Ludhiána, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of that district on the subject, and observes that should the Board not be disposed to recommend its construction, several alterations and additions must of necessity be made to the present building. (O.)	No. 53.
	No. 841, dated 13th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that Government have decided that there shall not be a Central Jail at Ludhiána, but have approved of the Board's proposal that there should be a Central Jail for the Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States, which they have determined shall be built at Ambála, and therefore request he will state who could undertake its construction and be responsible for it. As regards the alterations required to the Ludhiána Jail requests he will submit a requisition for the specific sum that may be required to effect them. (D.)	
606	No. 1871, dated 5th May 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Child stealing	In reply to the Board's letter No. 652, dated the 22nd April 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces forwards a copy of a letter written to the Inspector-General of Prisons, North-Western Provinces, directing him to issue instructions for making over to the Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar a prisoner named Phuggoo at present in the Agra Jail, with a view to his services being used as an informer. (O.)	No. 61.
	No. 844, dated 14th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States for communication to the Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar, in continuation of letter No. 653, dated the 24th April 1852. (D.)	

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607	No. 845, dated 14th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Rules for the guidance of Tahsildars in the disposal of Civil and Criminal cases.	With reference to the Board's letter, dated the 22nd January 1851, and Sir H. M. Elliot's reply thereto, the Secretary to the Board of Administration submits for the information of the Governor-General three sets of rules which the Board have issued in English and the Vernacular for the guidance of Tahsildars in the disposal of civil and criminal cases and in their capacity of Darogas of Police. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th May 1852— No. 63.
608	No. 193, dated 4th May 1852 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Discontinuance of the use of night chains in certain jails.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated the 29th April 1852, No. 716, the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore reports that the use of the night chain has been discontinued in the different jails except that of Gola Serai where it is necessary owing to the insecurity of the building. (O.)	Nos. 93-4
	No. 858, dated 14th May 1852 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore will discontinue the use of the chain in the Gola Serai Jail also, and remove into the 3 wards which are finished the prisoners who require the night chain, and also the Hospital, as the Civil Surgeon wishes it. (D.)	
609	No. 1312, dated 30th April 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Form of oath for Catholics appointed Justices of the Peace.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to entry No. 101 of the abstract for week ending 3rd April 1852, and requests to be furnished with a copy of the form of oath intended to be administered to Catholics who may be appointed Justices of the Peace. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd May 1852— Nos. 15-16.
	No. 875, dated 17th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes a copy of the form alluded to. (D.)	
610	No. 878, dated 17th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Accommodation for hospital patients in new Jail, Lahore.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore that four wards of the new jail are ready, and requests that he will, in communication with Dr. Hathaway and Lieutenant Fagan, move *all* the hospital patients into one of them and into the remaining three such other prisoners from the Golawalla and old jail as he may think proper with reference to their characters and condition, placing the most dangerous characters in the safest places and obviating the necessity for the use of the night chain. (D.) Copies of the preceding letter are forwarded to Colonel Napier and Dr. Hathaway for information. (D)	No. 19.

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911	No. 283, dated 5th May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reward for destruction of a tiger.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter No. 450, dated the 27th November 1851, from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála, and states that under the peculiar circumstances therein represented he sanctioned the disbursement of a reward of Rs. 50 between 2 parties who killed a tiger, which the Civil Auditor has declined to pass; requests therefore that the Board's sanction be granted to the charge. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd May 1852— Nos. 34-6.
	No. 886, dated 18th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction as a reward for bravery and good conduct on the occasion referred to. (D.)	
612	No. 235, dated 7th May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a prisoner named Kummoo convicted of wilful murder.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of a prisoner named Kummoo convicted of the wilful murder of one Kada by administering poison, and leaves it to the Board to determine whether there is anything not completely satisfactory in the proofs to justify a sentence of imprisonment for life in banishment instead of death. (O.)	No. 45.
	No. 892, dated 19th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes an abstract of the Board's proceedings convicting the prisoner of the crime laid to his charge and sentencing him to imprisonment for life in banishment. Observes that the manner in which the paper of powder (believed to have been a portion of the poison administered) was sent open without being sealed to prevent other ingredients being mixed after it was discovered, shows great carelessness on the part of the Police, and requests he will call the attention of District Officers and the police generally to the rules contained in Regulation XX of 1817 which are embodied in the Darogas' Manual lately circulated. (D.)	
	Circular No. 48—893, dated 19th May 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab.	Analysis of poisonous substances as evidence in criminal cases.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration refers Commissioners to the above remarks, and requests they will issue instructions for all proper precautions to be taken in such cases as the one referred to; and with reference to the question of analyzing poisonous substances, observes that every Assistant Surgeon is certainly not competent to make the analysis, and whenever there is a doubt on this point, or in cases of peculiar nicety requiring a very exact analysis the Chemical Examiner in Calcutta should be referred to. (D.)	

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613	No. 896, dated 20th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Construction of a new Central Jail at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, a copy of a letter No 30, dated the 2nd January 1850, from the Secretary to the Government of India sanctioning the construction of a new Central Jail at Lahore, and also a copy of a Circular (No. 11, dated the 28th April 1852) issued by the Board regarding the erection of thanas, tahsils, chaukis, serais and *burdasht-khanas*. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd May 1852— No. 54.
614	8th May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Shooting of 2 Barkandazes at Peshâwar by robbers.	The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the index to correspondence in his office for the month of March 1852. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th May 1852— Nos. 53-4.
	No. 947, dated 29th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration refers to entry No. 175 of his (Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division) index regarding 2 Barkandazes at a chauki having been shot and cut down by a party of about 80 robbers. Requests the Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division will furnish a report upon the occurrence and communicates the Board's remark that in so disturbed a district as Peshâwar, so small a number of policemen should never be stationed at one place, and that the police should be armed with the best kind of fire-arms to be ready at a moment's warning. (D.)	
615	No. 201, dated 17th May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Capture of Dharm Singh of Chitti, the chief adviser of Guru Maharaj Singh.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration reports the capture of Dharm Singh of Chitti, the chief adviser of Guru Maharaj Singh, and requests sanction to the disbursement of a reward of Rs. 150 to his captors. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th June 1852— Nos. 30-31.
	No. 973, dated 1st June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction and requests the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States will send Dharm Singh to Lahore informing the Jail authorities at the same time of the importance of watching the prisoner and not allowing him to go outside the jail. (D.)	
616	No. 1561, dated 20th May 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Modification in the rules for the administration of civil justice in the Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 409, dated the 28th April 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the Most Noble the Governor-General's approval of the modification proposed by the Board in clause 7, section 1, of the printed rules for the administration of civil justice in the Punjab. (O.)	Nos. 49-50.

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616—*concld.*	Circular No. 50—980, dated 2nd June 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners under the Board.	Modification in the rules for the administration of civil justice in the Punjab.	In continuation of the Board's Circular No. 38, dated the 28th April 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards copies of the preceding letter to the Commissioners under the Board for their information, and requests they will make it generally known that civil suits may now be preferred either in the district wherein the defendant resides, or that in which the cause of action may have arisen. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th June 1852— Nos. 49-50.
617	No. 426, dated 22nd May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Badan Singh Khurd and Badan Singh Kalan convicted of professional Thaggism.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration proceedings in the case of Badan Singh Khurd and Badan Singh Kalan convicted of professional Thaggism, and recommends that they be sentenced to imprisonment in transportation beyond the sea, the sentence however to be held in abeyance so long as they conduct themselves properly and give satisfaction as approvers. (O.)	Nos. 71-5.
	No. 992, dated 5th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration sends the Commissioner of Lahore an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and warrants sentencing the prisoners as recommended. (D.)	
618	No. 281, dated 24th May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Wazira, a prisoner convicted of murder.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an abstract of proceedings in the case of Wazira, a prisoner convicted of the murder of a woman named Bakht Sahai, and considering that the crime was committed in a moment of irritation, and prior to the late rebellion, recommends that he be sentenced to suffer the mitigated punishment of imprisonment for life. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th June 1852— Nos. 4-8.
	No. 1004, dated 7th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration sends the Commissioner of Multán an English abstract of the Board's proceedings and a warrant sentencing the prisoner to suffer imprisonment for five years with labour in irons. (D.)	
619	No. 1013—567, dated 8th June 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Proposed appointment of the Revd. H. Beddy as Marriage Registrar at Simla.	With reference to the orders of Government regarding the nomination of Marriage Registrars, the Secretary to the Board of Administration solicits the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the appointment of the Revd. H. Beddy to be the Registrar at Simla. (D.)	No. 83.

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620	No. 232, dated 28th May 1852 .. From—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Arrangemen t s for the suppression of Thaggi in the Punjab.	Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi, submits for the approval and orders of the Board the arrangements which he considers necessary for the speedy extirpation of the crime of Thaggi in the Punjab together with a scale of the establishment which will be needed for the purpose. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 12th June 1852— Nos. 121-23.
	No. 1028, dated 10th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Board consider the cost of the proposed establishment to be very high, and suggests certain modifications and reductions. (D.)	
621	No. 297, dated 31st May 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Marriage Registrars.	In reply to Board's letter No. 936, dated the 25th May 1852, the Commissioner of the Multán Division states that as there are at present no Dissenters resident at Multán the Deputy Commissioner may be appointed *ex-officio* Marriage Registrar. (D.)	Nos. 151-52.
	Circular No. 52-1044, dated 10th June 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioners (except Multán).		With reference to Act V of 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioners (except Multán) will nominate persons for the office of Marriage Registrars in all the stations of their respective Divisions, and submit lists of the nominees to the Board for transmission to Government. (D.)	
622	No. 177, dated 30th April 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Jehchar Mal, Kanungo, engaged in the rebellion of 1848.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an English abstract of proceedings in the case of Jehchar Mal, Kanungo, who was engaged in the rebellion of 1848, and recommends that he be sentenced to imprisonment for life without irons or labour. (O.)	No. 160 *a—c*.
	No. 1050½, dated 11th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India for submission to the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council, and recommends that the prisoner be sent to the Agra Jail to undergo there the imprisonment for life without irons or labour. States that the Board refer the case to His Lordship as a special one as they are not at liberty to send prisoners from these territories to the Agra Jail. (D.)	
623	No. 303, dated 2nd June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Decision of cases by Punchayats.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division submits, for the consideration of the Board of Administration, extracts from a letter addressed to him by the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang on the subject of the Board's circular of the 26th March 1852, containing orders for the decision of cases by Punchayats and suggests certain modifications. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1852— Nos. 25-6.

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623—*concld.*	No. 1067, dated 14th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.	Decision of cases by Punchayats.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board do not consider it advisable to make any alterations in their circular: the rules therein laid down were those adopted by Mr. McLeod, an able officer of great experience, and so entirely did they coincide with the views of the Board that they embodied the spirit of them in the rules subsequently drawn out for the guidance of Tahsildars. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1852— Nos. 25-6.
624	No. 810, dated 5th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed rewards for the destruction of tigers in the Multán Division.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 43, dated the 2nd September 1851, respecting rewards for the destruction of wolves, the Commissioner of the Multán Division states that tigers are not uncommon along the banks of the Sutlej, and recommends that a higher scale of rewards be fixed for the destruction of these animals than is sanctioned in the North-Western Provinces. (O.)	Nos. 27-8.
	No. 1068, dated 14th June 1852 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Board are not aware that tigers are very destructive in the Punjab, but if they are peculiarly so in his Division, they request information to this effect, and also as to the injuries they have done. (D.)	
625	No. 223, dated 4th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Murder at the Chauki of Guru Shah, in the Peshâwar District, of 2 Barkandazes by a party of robbers.	In reply to the Board's letter, dated the 29th May 1852, No. 947, the Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division forwards original correspondence relating to the murder at the Chauki of Guru Shah, in the Peshâwar District, of two Barkandazes by a party of robbers, and states that there was no tower for the protection of this post as is the case with others on the road to Attock. (O.)	Nos. 81-2.
	No. 1070, dated 14th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that every exertion may be made for the completion of all the towers for the police posts in his Division. (D.)	
626	No. 1084, dated 16th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Petition for remission of sentence of Saudagar, Thánesar District.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States a copy of a petition presented to the Board by Fakir Chand, an inhabitant of Zillah Thánesar, praying for a remission of the sentence of 6 years' imprisonment with labour in irons passed upon his son Saudagar, who is now in the Lahore Jail, and states that as the Board have had an opportunity of seeing the boy, and do not consider him to be more than 12 or 13 years of age, they think that the sentence should be reduced to one year from the date on which he was committed, and that his irons should be struck off. (D.)	Nos. 101-02.

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627	No. 289, dated 4th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prohibition against employment of convicts as pankhah coolies.	In continuation of the Board's letter No. 264, dated the 22nd May 1852, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits the Jail Return of the Shahpur District for the month of April 1852.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1852— Nos. 119-21.
	Circular No. 54—1096, dated 16th June 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Commissioners under the Board prohibits the employment of convicts at kutcheries in pulling pankhas and at officers' bungalows, as it is objectionable owing to the opportunities they have of meeting their friends, and, at a kutcheri, of carrying on correspondence through Mukhtars and prisoners in jail. (D.)	
628	No. 1035, dated 21st May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	System in respect to the allowance of tobacco and opium to prisoners.	The Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No 708, dated the 28th April 1852, regarding the system in force under the Board's jurisdiction in respect to the allowance of tobacco and opium to prisoners, and enquires whether there exists any special reason why the rule in question is enforced in some jails, whilst it is not in others, and whether the health of the prisoners is affected. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1852— Nos. 5-7.
	No. 1131, dated 22nd June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply to the first query, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that there is no special rule; practically it has been left to the medical officer. In answer to the second states that the Board have not sufficient information before them to determine this point. Forwards a copy of a memo. by Dr. Hathaway on the subject of giving opium and tobacco to convicts. (D.)	
629	No. 264, dated 12th June 1852 ... From—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi and Dacoity, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1028, dated the 10th June 1852, Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi and Dacoity, states that in his opinion no great reduction could be made in the proposed establishment without injuring the efficiency of the department. Submits a reduced scale consistent with efficiency. (O.)	Nos. 44-7.
	No. 268, dated 14th June 1852 ... From—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi and Dacoity, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above letter Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi and Dacoity, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an application from Lieutenant Hawkins, Adjutant of the 6th Irregulars, for the appointment of assistant to the Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi in the Punjab. (O.)	

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629—*concld.*	No. 1143, dated 24th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Thaggi in Punjab	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of correspondence with the General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, regarding the appointment of Mr. Brereton to the superintendence of Thaggi in the Punjab, and the establishment he will require to carry on the duty, and solicits the sanction of His Lordship in Council to the monthly charge (on account of the establishment) of Rs. 1,194, and recommends that Mr. Brereton's salary be fixed at Rs. 1,000, and that he be promoted to the grade of Deputy Commissioner. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1852.— Nos. 44-7.
	No. 1144, dated 24th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi.		In reply to his letter No. 264, dated the 12th June 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi that the Board have this day recommended to Government the establishment proposed for Mr. Brereton, and that he be promoted to the rank of Deputy Commissioner on a salary of Rs. 1,000 a month, and with reference to his letter No. 268, dated the 14th idem, requests that he will intimate to Lieutenant Hawkins that no such appointment as he applied for will be made. (D.)	
630	No. 498, dated 12th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of abortion procured by Rani Prem Kaur, widow of the *ex*-Raja of Ladwa.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division submits for the orders of the Board a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, bringing to notice a case of abortion procured by Rani Prem Kaur, widow of the *ex*-Raja of Ladwa, and recommends that the Rani's allowance be reduced and she be made to live with her parents. (O.)	Nos. 83-5.
	No. 1163, dated 16th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secertary to the Board of Administration states that if he has no doubt of the identity of the Rani, the Board authorize his sending her home to her parents, and reducing her pension to Rs. 300 a year. Observes that Mr. Saunders should be directed to satisfy himself of the truth of the case, and that the Rani should certainly be identified, and requests him to report the result of any further enquiry. (D.)	
631	No. 207, dated 18th June 1852 ... From—Major J. W. Wakefield, Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of an old man imprisoned by Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Lahore, for stealing a fowl.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1073, dated 14th June 1852, the Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Lahore, forwards the misl therein called for. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1852— Nos. 37-40.
	No. 1188, dated 29th June 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major J. W. Wakefield, Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a Vernacular proceeding by the President and the Junior member on the case of an old man who was imprisoned by him for one month with labour in irons for stealing a fowl, ordering that in future such	

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631—*concld.*		Case of an old man imprisoned by Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Lahore, for stealing a fowl.	infirm people be not sentenced to imprisonment with labour. Remarks that the words "Charee" or "Chorakar" appear to have been added afterwards, and adds that he should furnish a full report why these words have been omitted in the warrant; or why added to the deposition. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1852—. Nos. 37-40.
632	No 203, dated 18th June 1852 ... From—The officiating Secretary to Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of the Revd. H. Beddy to be Marriage Registrar at Simla.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 567, dated 8th June 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the appointment of the Rev. H. Beddy to be Marriage Registrar at Simla.	Nos. 41-3.
	Nos. 118-90, dated 29th June 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Rev. H. Beddy, Simla, and Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.		Copies of the above letter are forwarded to the Rev. H. Beddy and the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej, for information. (D.)	
633	No. 312, dated 22nd June 1852 From—The Commissioner of Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Hotu *versus* Mussammat Malo.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 910, dated 21st May 1852, the Commissioner of the Leiah Division states, with regard to the case of Hotu *versus* Mussammat Malo, that the appellant Hotu has behaved in a most objectionable manner, and that the delay in carrying out the Board's orders for a new investigation of his case by a Panchayat is to be attributed to his contumacy alone, and observes that he is a very insolent, violent man, and if he does not agree to a fair adjustment of his case, he (the Commissioner) has no alternative but to dismiss it. (O.)	Nos. 83-5.
	No. 1214, dated 1st July 1852 ... From The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration desires the Commissioner of the Leiah Division to try the case himself and decide it, reporting the result to the Board. States that when parties show a violent dislike to their complaints being heard by the Zilla Court, he may, with advantage in special cases, take up the matter himself, as in a new country, where the people are ignorant of our laws and customs, it is of consequence that they should not only have a fair hearing, but think and believe they have it; and adds that the Board do not consider he has shown sufficient reason for the great delay which has taken place. (D.)	
634	No. 356, dated 24th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Convict labour	With reference to the Board's Circular No 54, dated 16th June 1852, the Commissioner of the Multán Division solicits instructions whether the Board wish to prohibit prisoners from being employed on any agricultural and horticultural labour within the Jail walls, as directed in the Lower Provinces. (O.)	Nos. 86-8.
	No. 1215, dated 2nd July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that convicts may be employed in gardens attached to jails. (D.)	

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634—*concld.*	Circular No. 55-1216, dated 2nd July 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners except Commissioner of Multán Division.	Convict labour	A copy of the correspondence is circulated to other Commissioners for information and guidance. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1852— Nos. 86-8.
635	No. 825, dated 21st June 1852 .. From - The Commissioner of Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Jail returns, Jhelum Division.	The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration jail returns of the districts in the Jhelum Division for the month of May 1852. (O.)	Nos. 101-06.
	No. 1225, dated 3rd July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests he will furnish the register of daily employment of prisoners sentenced to labour which has not been sent with the other papers. Remarks that the cost of native medicines in Jhelum (if they understand the form correctly) and in the Ráwalpindi Districts is very high; requests he will send the Board a plan of the ventilator through which the prisoner referred to in the Ráwalpindi return escaped, and suggests his applying to Mr. Saunders, Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, for a plan of the ventilator used in his jail which is very secure; also states the Board think the scurvy patients should be separated from the others in tents if no other accommodation is available. (D.)	
636	No. 246, dated 16th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Marriage Registrars.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 52, dated 10th June 1852, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States intimates that he has adopted measures for determining upon the persons it will be expedient to nominate as Marriage Registrars in the several districts, and as the duty will have to devolve, in most cases, on the officers of Government, suggests the expediency of some copies of Act V of 1852 being procured for distribution. (O.)	Nos. 114-15.
	No. 1230, dated 3rd July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of the preceding letter for submission to the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council, and enquires whether the Board could be supplied with copies of the Act of Parliament relative to the appointment of marriage Registrars (D.)	
637	No. 361, dated 23rd June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Civil Statements, Multán Division.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Civil Statements of the Multán Division for the months of January, February, March and April 1852. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th July 1852— No. 8.

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637—*concld.*	No. 1234, dated 5th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.	Civil Statements, Multán Division.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests he will call upon the Deputy Commissioner of Gugera to explain whether the Board are to understand from the remark made in his Statement for April 1852 "made over to Punch, 22nd October 1851," that the case has been seven months before a Panchayat. States there is no explanation in the column of remarks of the Multán Statements showing the dates of the oldest cases, and requires that the omission be supplied in future statements; also requests he will send for the Vernacular proceedings of the cases struck off in default in the District of Jhang and examine them, as the Board think there must be something unsound in the system which requires 460 cases to be struck off in four months, and desires he will send the statements of his division month by month, as it is inconvenient to examine four months' statements at a time. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 10th July 1852— No. 3.
638	No. 399, dated 21st June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Major Nicholson's report on the state of society and crime in Bannu.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration Major Nicholson's report on the state of society and crime in Bannu, with his own remarks. (O)	Nos. 27-9.
	No. 1240, dated 6th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		With reference to Major Nicholson's report submitted by him with the above letter, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that he (Commissioner) does not appear to have been aware of the state of things described by Major Nicholson; that of the murders committed by Bannuchis in 1849 not one has been reported to him and that no measures have been adopted for checking the fearful prevalence of crime. States that the Board think he should proceed to Bannu in the cold weather and in communication with the Deputy Commissioner organize a system suited to the wants and peculiarities of the country, and to this end communicates instructions with further remarks by the Board. (D.)	
639	No. 295, dated 30th June 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Peshawar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Escape of five prisoners from the Peshawar Havalat.	As requested in the Board's letter No. 939, dated 26th May 1852, the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division forwards the original correspondence relative to the escape of five prisoners from the Havalat of the Peshawar District on the night of the 12th April 1852. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 17th July 1852— Nos. 76-7.
	No 1299, dated 16th July 1852 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Peshawar Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that searching enquiry be made into the alleged misconduct and conspiracy against the Jailor on the part of the guard, and that no unnecessary delay may be allowed to occur in the construction of the new jail.	

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639—*concld.*	...	Escape of five prisoners from the Pesháwar Havalat.	With reference to his remark in a letter to Lieutenant McCarty imputing the escape of the prisoners to the President's order to discontinue armed sentries close over the prisoners, states that the Board do not consider him warranted in making such an assertion. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 17th July 1852— Nos. 76-7.
640	No. 207, dated 8th July 1852 ... From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Gurdáspur, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	An affray at Gurdáspur.	The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Gurdáspur submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a detailed report of a serious affray which occurred on the 29th June 1852 at Gurdáspur between some sowars of the 13th Irregular Cavalry and the Thanah Police, in which one man was killed and several wounded, and states that the case has been committed for trial to the Sessions. (O.)	Nos. 81-8.
	No. 1302, dated 16th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Gurdáspur.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's thanks for the clear statement given by him of the affray, and states that they highly approve of the promptitude with which he proceeded to the scene of the outrage. (D.)	
641	No. 2202, dated 2nd July 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Imprisonment of Ichhar Mal, Kanungo, in the Agra Jail.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 580, dated 11th June 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the imprisonment in the Agra Jail, as proposed, of Ichhar Mal, Kanungo, and states that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces will be requested to cause the necessary orders to be issued. (O.)	Nos. 98-101.
	No. 1307, dated 17th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States an English abstract of the Board's proceedings in the case of Ichhar Mal, sentenced by the Board to imprisonment for life, together with a copy of the preceding and of the Board's letter to which it is a reply. (D.)	
642	No. 252, dated 10th July 1852 ... From—The Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of an old man convicted of stealing a fowl.	As requested in the Board's letter No. 1188, dated 29th June 1852, the Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Lahore furnishes a copy of his Vernacular proceedings in the case of an old man convicted of stealing a fowl and sentenced to a month's imprisonment, together with an explanation respecting certain interlineations in the deposition of the prisoner.	Nos. 110-11.
643	No. 201, dated 8th March 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Rules for the guidance of Tahsildars vested with judicial powers.	In acknowledging receipt of the Board's Circular No. 20, dated 28th February 1852, enclosing rules for the guidance of Tahsildars who may be vested with judicial powers, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division states that to the spirit	Progs. for the week ending 24th July 1852— Nos. 1-2.

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643—*concld.*		Rules for the guidance of Tahsildars vested with Judicial powers.	and tenor of them he cordially subscribes, but considers the indiscriminate resort to arbitration enjoined by the Board fraught with the most injurious consequences to the people, and therefore suggests certain modifications. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 24th July 1852— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1310, dated 19th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board having considered his views are of opinion that the rules which have been subsequently drawn out and circulated for the guidance of Tahsildars will meet most of the points discussed therein. (D.)	
644	No. 414, dated 10th July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of a boy charged with the crime of sodomy.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division solicits the Board's instructions as to the disposal of a case wherein a boy aged 16 years is charged with the crime of sodomy. (O.)	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 1325, dated 20th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board think that 15 or 20 strokes of a rattan well laid on and a month's solitary confinement after the flogging would be the most suitable punishment. (D.)	
645	No. 454, dated 10th July 1852 ... From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Route from Govindgarh to Kohát of 3rd Company, 8th Battalion Artillery.	The Quartermaster-General of the Army submits for the Board's perusal a copy of a journal of the route from Govindgarh to Kohát marched by the 3rd Company, 8th Battalion Artillery, under the command of Lieutenant Parish, and requests their particular attention to that officer's representation regarding the Jamadar of Police at "Jund" tampering with the Banias and raising the price of flour and *dál*. (O.)	Nos. 103-05.
	No. 1337, dated 22nd July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant W. A. Parish, Kohát.		With reference to the preceding letter and its enclosure, the Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing Lieutenant W. H. Parish remarks that he has given no details of the circumstance therein alluded to, and requests he will supply the omission with a view to an enquiry being made into the affair. (D.)	
646	No. 569, dated 5th July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Injury done by rain to the Fort at Gujránwála.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division reports to the Secretary to the Board of Administration that the late heavy fall of rain has done serious injury to the Fort at Gujránwála which, in a military point of view, renders it quite untenable without extensive repairs, and as he sees no object in keeping up the Fort, recommends that the walls be thrown down by the prisoners and the surrounding ditch filled in. (O.)	Nos. 106-07.
	No. 1338, dated 22nd July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests he will furnish the Board with a sketch of the station of Gujranwála showing the position of the different buildings and their distances from each other. (D.)	

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647	No. 1343, dated 10th July 1852 ... From—The Military Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Issue of ammunition, etc., for Police from the Lahore Magazine.	The Military Secretary to the Board submits for the Board's orders in the Civil Department a memo. respecting the inconvenience and additional expense that will result from the Government order whereby the Lahore Magazine alone is named for the issue of ammunition, etc., required for the use of Police in the districts under the Board. (O.)	Progs for the week ending 24th July 1852— Nos. 110-11.
	Nos. 723—1341, dated 23rd July 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		With reference to the preceding memo. and to previous correspondence on the subject thereof the Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Secretary to the Government of India requests that the further sanction of the Governor-General in Council may be obtained to all officers employed under the Board sending in their indents to the nearest and most conveniently situated magazine. (D.)	
648	No. 74, dated 14th July 1852 ... From—Brigadier G. E. Gowan, Commanding at Ferozepore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Repairs to the cantonment roads and public gardens at Ferozepore.	Brigadier G. E. Gowan, Commanding at Ferozepore, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration correspondence in original regarding the withdrawal of prisoners hitherto allowed for cantonment purposes, and enquires whether any arrangements have been made to keep the cantonment roads in repair and the public gardens in order. (O.)	Nos. 120-22.
	No. 1345, dated 23rd July 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Brigadier G. E. Gowan, Commanding at Ferozepore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the subject of keeping the station roads in repair is now under the consideration of the Board. In the meantime they will feel obliged by his informing them whether there is any Cantonment Fund at Ferozepore for general purposes a portion of which might be applied to repair of roads. (D.)	
	No. 1346, dated 23rd July 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division a copy of the preceding letter and the corrospondence therein referred to, with a request that he will submit the same to the Committee which (according to instructions conveyed in Board's letter No. 1253, dated 8th July 1852) is about to assemble, as they might consider and devise some mode of meeting the demands which will arise for labourers for the repair of cantonment roads, consequent on the withdrawal of prisoners. (D.)	
649	Circular No. 60—1362, dated 26th July 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.	Guarding of prisoners out of jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration states that it has been brought to the Board's notice that the sepoys of the Police Battalion are at some places employed in accompanying prisoners who go out for calls of nature. Observes that the duties of these soldiers are to guard the prisoners in jail, and directs that the guarding of prisoners out of the jail be entrusted to Barkandazes who are especially allowed for this duty. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st July 1852— No. 13.

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650	No. 438, dated 24th July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of alteration of a stamp.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division solicits the Board's instructions in a case where a stamp which had been altered by washing was presented in Court, and states that in his opinion the penalty should be a fine of from 10 to 20 times the value of the stamp. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st July 1852— Nos. 62-3.
	No. 1383, dated 28th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that if he does not consider that the washing was done with fraudulent intent, he need not punish in the Criminal Court, but as proposed by him a fine should be levied in the Revenue Court. (D.)	
651	No. 302, dated 3rd July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Peshawar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Stores for flying bridges.	The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copy of a letter No. 188, dated 2nd July 1852, from Captain Sale, Executive Engineer, reporting the arrival at Jhelum of stores for flying bridges, and suggests that some officer of the Engineers Department be appointed to take charge of the stores and to set up the bridges. (O.)	Nos. 82-3.
	No. 1389, dated 29th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the foregoing letter to the Superintending Engineer of the Punjab, and states that the Board will feel much obliged by his arranging that Captain Sale or Lieutenant Nightingale shall put up the bridges, as the Board have not an officer to spare for the purpose. (D.)	
652	No. 1230, dated 7th June 1852 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Insufficiency of food supplied to prisoners in jails, etc.	The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal transmits for the Board's information and orders an extract of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors in regard to the insufficiency of food supplied to prisoners in the Kángra Jail, as well as other jails in the North-Western Provinces, together with extracts from the Medical Board's returns of sickness and mortality in jails and jail hospitals. (O.)	Nos. 84-90.
	No. 1390, dated 29th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal states that the Board would wish to be furnished in future (if there is no objection) with Dr. Corbyn's annual report which would enable them at once to act on any suggestions that were made, and remarks that in the present case the Board have been informed of the Superintending Surgeon's opinion four years after it was given. (D.)	

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653	No. 434, dated 19th July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Convict labour	The Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from Brigadier Hewitt, Commanding at Multán, and requests that the Military authorities may have the use of 30 prisoners to clear away jungle, etc., at cantonments. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 31st July 1852— Nos. 126-27.
	No. 1403, dated 30th July 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board agree to the prisoners being temporarily made over to the military authorities if the distance from the jail is not above a mile, but that the Board are extremely averse to prisoners being taken beyond the jail limits. (D.)	
654	No. 620, dated 23rd July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Jail returns	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division intimates to the Secretary to the Board of Administration his having circulated to the officers concerned the remarks of the Board on the jail returns for April and May 1852, and having called for explanation on the remark "as good as circumstances permit" entered in the 4th column of the Amritsar Statement for April 1852 and made by the Medical Officer; also forwards registers of daily employment of prisoners appertaining to the Districts of Gujránwála, Lahore and Siálkot, and promises to send the rest on receipt. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 7th August 1852— Nos. 31-4.
	No. 1429, dated 4th August 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		With reference to the registers of daily employment of prisoners received with the above letter, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board are sorry to find from the Gujránwála return that there is no convalescent gang there. Remarks it is hardly possible but that there should be convalescent prisoners who, if put to hard labour in that state, are likely to become seriously ill, and requests he will inform the officers-in-charge of the Amritsar and Gurdáspur Districts that the Board expect their statements to be punctually sent, and that they are quite useless if not received with regularity and at the time fixed. (D.)	
655	No. 2496, dated 20th July 1852 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to Government, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the state of the Lahore Jails.	With reference to the Board's letter No 641, dated 26th June 1852, regarding the state of the Lahore Jails, the Officiating Under-Secretary to Government intimates that the Governor-General in Council is of opinion that the charges of neglect, etc., made by the Superintending Surgeon of the Cis-Ravi Circle are entirely groundless. (O.)	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 1454, dated 7th August 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the foregoing letter to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, and states that the Board are gratified in making known to him the opinion of the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council, as it entirely absolves him from all blame. (D.)	

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656	No. 261, dated 1st July 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of suicide committed by a Lambardar.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the correspondence called for in the Board's letter No. 1160, dated 25th June 1852, connected with a case of suicide committed by a Lambardar, together with the Vernacular file received from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 14th August 1852— Nos. 53-5.
	No. 1468, dated 9th August 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		With reference to the oppressive behaviour exercised by a Tahsil Chaprasi towards the Lambardar which was the cause of his committing suicide, the Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, states that the Board do not think the punishment of the Chaprasi by imprisonment of six months and a fine of Rs. 100, or six months more, adequate to the offence, and they wish him (Commissioner) to try the case himself and revise the sentence; also communicates further remarks and instructions, and forwards copy of a circular No. 63 issued by the Board on the subject. (D.)	
	Circular No. 63—1469, dated 9th August 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States).		The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing Commissioners requests, with reference to the above case, that they will instruct their District Officers to explain to the Tahsildars within their respective districts that they are responsible for the misconduct of the officials under them, and that they are bound to exercise a vigilant control and prevent any mal-treatment; also remarks that the District Officers should exercise a careful supervision over their subordinates, and that it is a reproach to our administration that such outrages as that which has led to the present remarks should occur. (D.)	
657	No 2404, dated 16th July 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to Government, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in the Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 632, dated 24th June 1852, the Officiating Secretary to Government states that the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council declines to appoint Mr. Brereton, Superintendent of Thaggi, and directs that that officer be requested to rejoin his appointment of Assistant Commissioner on being relieved from his present duties by Captain Sleeman. (O.)	Nos. 73-4.
	No. 1473, dated 10th August 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi, and with reference to the order therein conveyed requests that from the 1st November 1852 he will take the management of the whole Thaggi Department into his own hands, after which date the Board propose to withdraw Mr. Brereton. (D.)	

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658	No. 2543, dated 23rd July 1852 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to Government, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Marriage Registrars.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 665, dated 3rd July 1852, the Officiating Under-Secretary to Government forwards two printed copies of the Act of Parliament relative to the appointment of Marriage Registrars, and communicates the observations of the President in Council on the subject. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 14th August 1852— Nos. 102-04.
	No. 1486, dated 12th August 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply to letter No. 246, dated 16th June 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration refers the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States to Circular No. 64 issued on the 12th August 1852, and requests that Marriage Registrars may be instructed to take the Indian Act as their guide. (D.)	
	Circular No. 64—1487, dated 12th August 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to all Commissioners a copy of the foregoing letter No. 2543, dated 23rd July 1852, from Government, and requests that they will instruct the Marriage Registrars in their respective Divisions to take as their guide the Indian Act, V of 1852, relative to the marriage of Christians in India. (D.)	
659	4th August 1852 ... From—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of the Thaggi Department, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of Mr. Brereton in the Thaggi Department.	With reference to a letter from the Government to the address of the Board declining to sanction the permanent appointment of Mr Brereton as an Assistant in the Thaggi Department, Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of the Thaggi Department, observes that it will be unjust to remove this officer from the duties he has so successfully conducted until the result of his exertions has been tested by the trial and conviction of the prisoners now in custody, and therefore requests that he be permitted to remain till the end of October 1852, should the Board deem it inexpedient to make a second reference to Government for sanction to Mr. Brereton's remaining in the Department for a couple of years. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 21st August 1852— Nos. 11-12.
	No. 1518, dated 16th August 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Department.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Captain Sleeman that as the Government order is clear and given on a full understanding of the matter, the Board do not feel that there are grounds for another reference; their letter No. 1473, dated 10th August 1852, will, however, have intimated that they propose to allow Mr. Brereton to remain in the Thaggi Department until the 1st November 1852. (D.)	
660	No. 57, dated 5th August 1852 ... From—Lieutenant W. H. Parish, Commanding 3rd Company, 8th Battalion Artillery. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Conduct of the Jamadar of Police at Jund.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1337, dated 22nd July 1852, Lieutenant W. H. Parish, Commanding 3rd Company, 8th Battalion Artillery, furnishes particulars regarding the conduct of the Jamadar of Police at Jund, on the occasion of the march of a Company of Artillery through that place in March 1852. (O.)	Nos. 96-7.

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660—*concld.*	No. 543, dated 20th August 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division.	Conduct of the Jamadar of Police at Jund.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division a copy of the preceding and a copy of the Board's letter, to which it is a reply, as also extract of a communication from the Quartermaster-General of the Army respecting Lieutenant Parish's complaint, and states that should the conduct of the Police Jamadar prove, on investigation, to have been such as is represented, he should be punished. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 21st August 1852— Nos. 96-7.
661	No 393, dated 2nd August 1852 .. From—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Prohibition of the establishment of goldsmiths' shops in the town of Jhelum.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 1140, dated 23rd June 1852, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division submits a report from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum explaining the circumstances under which he issued an order prohibiting the establishment of goldsmiths' shops in the town of Jhelum until the owners furnished security for good conduct.	Nos. 107-09.
	No. 1548, dated 20th August 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Jhelum Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that Captain Browne's order was a verbal one, and states that orders on such important subjects should be issued in writing and generally made known; and orders involving general rules or principles should in the first instance be submitted for the sanction of the Commissioner. (D.)	
662	No. 556, dated 12th August 1852 ... From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Requisition for convict labour	The Quartermaster-General of the Army forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a letter from the Officer Commanding at Multán, relative to the clearance of jungle near the Faizbagh Cantonment, and requests that the Board will render that officer such assistance as they can by furnishing prisoners for the purpose. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1852— No. 1-3.
	No. 1577, dated 23rd August 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, copy of a letter No. 1403, dated 30th July 1852, addressed to the Commissioner of the Multán Division, desiring him to order 30 prisoners to be furnished for the purpose of clearing the jungle alluded to, provided it is not distant more than a mile from the jail. (D.)	
663	No. 1584—839, dated 25th August 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Entertainment of a European Deputy Superintende n t for the new jail at Lahore.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration solicits the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the entertainment of a European Deputy Superintendent for the new jail at Lahore on a salary of Rs. 150 per mensem, and to his being deputed to visit some of the principal jails in Hindustan for the purpose of acquainting himself with the best system of prison discipline, moral and econmical, also to an allowance of Rs. 200 per mensem for the Civil Surgeon as Superintendent of the Jail in sole charge under the Board. (O.)	

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664	No. 49, dated 5th August 1852 ... From—The Superintending Engineer of the Punjab Circle, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Construction of flying bridges in the Peshawar District.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1389, dated 29th July 1852, the Superintending Engineer of the Punjab Circle states that measures have been adopted by him for rendering further assistance to Captain Sale to enable him to construct the flying bridges in the Pesháwar District. (O.)	Frogs. for the week ending 28th August 1852— Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1596, dated 26th August 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Pesháwar Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Pesháwar Division for his information, with reference to his letter No. 302, dated 3rd July 1852. (D.)	
665	No. 608, dated 27th August 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Employment of prisoners inside the Lahore Jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore states that as the Board are anxious for the commencement of some regular system in the new jail, they desire that he will make over to Dr. Hathaway from 4 to 5 hundred convicts, and the women, in view to their being put to some definite work inside the jail, and also that he will advance to that officer Rs. 1,000 for the purchase of machinery, raw materials etc., of which he will keep a separate account. (O.)	Nos. 115-16.
	No. 1608*a*, dated 27th August 1852.		Copies of the above letter are forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division and Dr Hathaway for their information. (D.)	
666	No. 710, dated 7th August 1852 ... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Charges on account of "safas" or waistbands for prisoners.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division solicits the Board's sanction to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore charging for Rs. 645-6-6, cost of "safas" or waistbands provided for prisoners. (O.)	Nos. 155-56.
	No. 164, dated 28th August 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires why, if the prisoners get "dhotis," they should also be supplied with "safas." (D.)	
667	No. 502, dated 16th August 1852... From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Duties of Deputy Superintendent of Boats at Rájghát.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division requests the Secretary to the Board of Administration to let him know the extent of the powers and duties of the officer belonging to the Indian Navy stationed at the wharf at Rájghát under the designation of "Deputy Superintendent of Boats," in order to prevent the chance of any clashing between him and the Deputy Commissioner. (O).	Progs. for the week ending 4th September 1852— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1618, dated 30th August 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs him that the Board are not aware if the powers of the Deputy Superintendent have been defined, but they think the Deputy Commissioner and this officer should be	

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667—*concld.*		Duties of Deputy Superintendent of Boats at Rájghát.	able to get on as they have hitherto done, without clashing. If, however, it be considered necessary, requests he will ascertain the wishes of the Superintendent on the subject. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th September 1852— Nos. 1-2.
668	No. 415, dated 16th August 1852 .. From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Erection of sheds for carpet weavers in the Lahore Jail.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1511, dated 13th August 1852, the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore states that it was intended that the sheds for carpet weavers should be erected within the walls of the new jail, but that the exact position and form was to be left to the discretion of the Civil Engineer. (O.)	Nos. 69-71.
	No. 159, dated 30th August 1852 ... From The Civil Surgeon of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		The Civil Surgeon of Lahore requests that orders may be issued for the speedy construction of a workshed for the manufacture of darries in the Central Jail at Lahore. (D.)	
	No. 1653, dated 1st September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Civil Engineer, and conveys the Board's authority for the building of the workshed in as economical a manner as is consistent with permanency. (D.)	
669	No. 700, dated 14th August 1852... From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Reduction of walls round the Fort at Gujranwála.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1338, dated 22nd July 1852, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gujránwála, with a sketch of the station, and recommends that the walls surrounding the Fort be either reduced in height or thrown down altogether. (O.)	Nos. 121-24.
	No. 1679, dated 4th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration sanctions the walls being entirely thrown down. (D.)	
670	No. 735, dated 25th August 1852 ... From The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Deputation of Mr. Brereton to Thaggi Department.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copy of a correspondence with Mr. Brereton and, for the reasons therein stated, recommends that the period of his deputation to the Thaggi Department may be extended for four months, *i.e*, from the 15th July to the 15th November 1852, and that he be permitted to draw the deputation allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem sanctioned for him until he obtains a Deputy Commissionership. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th September 1852— No. 5.
	No. 1689—897, dated 6th September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India a copy of the preceding letter and its enclosures with the Board's recommendation that the Commissioner's proposition be complied with. (D.)	

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671	From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Refusal of Dr. Hathaway to attend a sick traveller.	The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, submits, for the Board's consideration and orders, a letter in original from the Postmaster of Lahore, regarding the alleged refusal of Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon of Lahore, to attend a sick traveller in the staging bungalow. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th September 1852—No. 10.
	No. 1690, dated 6th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. C. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon of Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon of Lahore, a copy of the preceding letter, with the Board's request that he will explain under what circumstances he refused (if he did refuse) to attend the traveller alluded to, and that in future he will attend travellers at the dâk bungalow and also the Post Office establishment. (D)	
672	No. 1353, dated 8th May 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration.	Police powers, etc., exercised by the Nawab of Kunjpura and the Mir of Kotaha.	The Secretary to the Government of India transmits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors requiring information in regard to the police powers, etc., exercised by the Nawab of Kunjpura and the Mir of Kotaha, and requests that the Board will furnish the same. (O.)	No. 32.
	No. 1700, dated 6th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration furnishes the required information, with the Board's recommendation that the exemption from commutation of the Mir of Kotaha should be perpetual and not confined to the lifetime of the present Chief. (D.)	
673	No. 1707—912, dated 8th September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to Government of India.	Fee for renewal of licenses for wearing arms.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration solicits the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to licenses for wearing arms being renewed on payment of 8 annas instead of 2 rupees as originally ordered and to Deputy Commissioners being authorized to grant licenses on plain paper to shikaris for the purpose of encouraging them to destroy wolves and other wild animals. (O.)	No. 49.
674	Circular No. 68—1741, dated 13th September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Subscriptions to dispensaries.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing all Commissioners, states that from the replies received to Circular No. 17, dated 20th February 1852, regarding dispensaries, it appears that several officers have understood the circular to apply solely to the native residents and who, with a few exceptions, are not willing to subscribe, whereas the circular was chiefly intended for the European residents of stations, and unless they take an interest in the institution, little or no good will result. Mentions the views of the Board and of Government on the subject, and with reference thereto requests Commissioners to state what aid is likely to be furnished by the European residents. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1852—No. 42.

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675	No. 1576, dated 26th August 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Sub-Assistant Surgeons to the charge of charitable dispensaries.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copy of correspondence with the Medical Board on the subject of appointing Sub-Assistant Surgeons to the charge of charitable dispensaries, and intimating that Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdul Ahmad has been directed to proceed to Lahore and report himself to the Board of Administration with a view to his employment in the Punjab. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1852— Nos. 140-42.
	No. 1779, dated 18th September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeon of Ambála.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter to the Superintending Surgeon of Ambála for his information, and states that the Board have appointed the Sub-Assistant Surgeon to Ambála. (D.)	
	No. 1780, dated 18th September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States for information. (D.)	
676	No. 214, dated 14th September 1852 From—The Superintending Surgeon of Sirhind Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Discourtesy of Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner, Thánesar.	The Superintending Surgeon of the Sirhind Division submits, for the consideration of the Board, copy of correspondence he had with Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner, on the subject of medical aid required by him for the Civil establishments at Thánesar. Remarks on the discourteous style of his letters, and trusts that the Board will put a stop to this mode of writing on the part of Captain Larkins. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th September 1852— Nos. 74-7.
	No. 1819, dated 22nd September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Cis-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States a copy of a letter from Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner of Thánesar, to the address of the Superintending Surgeon of the Sirhind Division who complains with justice of Captain Larkins' threat "of reporting to higher authority," and requests that Captain Larkins be desired to be more courteous in future in the style of his letters to the Superintending Surgeon. (D.)	
	No. 1820, dated 22nd September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeon of Sirhind Division.		In reply to the preceding letter No. 214, dated 14th September 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Superintending Surgeon of the Sirhind Division that the Board have requested the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States to point out to Captain Larkins the impropriety of the concluding part of his letter, dated 11th September 1852, and to enjoin upon him to be more courteous both in tone and expression on future occasions of addressing him (the Superintending Surgeon), and observes that it is quite clear to the Board, from the dates of the letters, that he (the Superintending Surgeon) acted at once on the Deputy Commissioner's first requisition and gave him all the aid in his power. (D.)	

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677	No. 145, dated 27th August 1852... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Injury to the District Jail of Ambála by the heavy rain.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambála reporting the extensive injury caused to the District jail by the heavy rain which fell on the night of the 17th August 1852, and suggests its abandonment and the construction of one of pakka-kacha masonry, or to attach a wing to the Central Jail which is shortly to be commenced for the reception of the district prisoners which will ultimately prove the most economical plan. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th September 1852— No. 88.
	No. 1827, dated 22nd September 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards the above letter in original to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and with reference to the 7th paragraph solicits his opinion on the suggestions therein contained regarding the sandy nature of the soil and the buildings that will be required to be constructed. (D.)	
678	No. 3202, dated 10th September 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Affray between troopers of 13th Irregular Cavalry and Police at Gurdáspur.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 829, dated 21st August 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the remarks of the Governor-General in Council relative to the trial of 6 Troopers of the 13th Regiment, Irregular Cavalry, who formed part of a gang which attempted to murder the Thanadar of Gurdáspur and engaged in an affray in which a Police Sowar was killed and several persons wounded. (O.) No order.	No. 132.
679	No. 855, dated 8th September 1852 From—The Commissioner of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Clothing for prisoners.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1614, dated 28th August 1852, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore explaining his reasons for supplying the prisoners of his district with "safas" instead of "dhotis." (D)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1852— Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1858, dated 27th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the Deputy Commissioner charging for Rs. 645-6-6, the cost of the "safas" provided by him. (D.)	
680	Dated 17th September 1852 ... From—The Rev. H. Beddy, Simla, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Allowance as marriage Registrar.	The Rev. H. Beddy, Simla, enquires of the Secretary to the Board of Administration if the Board have taken into consideration the question of his monthly allowance as Marriage Registrar at Simla. (O.)	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 1860, dated 27th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Rev. H. Beddy, Simla.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires how many marriages he has officiated at since his appointment. (D.)	

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681	No. 2042, dated 24th September 1852 From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Convict labour	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab submits, for the consideration and orders of the Board, copy of a correspondence between himself and the Commissioner of the Lahore Division regarding the inconvenience which results from the frequent change of the prisoners employed at the new jail and particularly from the Executive Officer not having any control over them or the Jail Officers. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1852— Nos. 72-4.
	No. 1875, dated 28th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Lahore Division.		With reference to the preceding letter the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Lahore Division to issue certain instructions to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore which will obviate the inconvenience complained of, and adds that if any difference takes place between the Engineer and the Deputy Commissioner which cannot be at once adjusted, he (the Commissioner) should be referred to, or in his absence the Board. (D.)	
682	No. 545, dated 7th September 1852 From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Criminal prosecution commenced by Fateh Muhammad, Munshi of Diwan Mulraj.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division refers the Secretary to the Board of Administration to a criminal prosecution commenced by Fateh Muhammad, late a Munshi of Diwan Mulraj, against a confidential servant of his, and a banker, for the embezzlement of a large sum of money, and enquires whether Fateh Muhammad, having been pardoned and released, is to be considered to have regained his right to any property that may have escaped confiscation at the time of the rebellion. (O)	Nos. 101-02.
	No. 1892, dated 29th September 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates that under the circumstances the Board are of opinion that Fateh Muhammad has recovered his civil rights to any property that may have escaped confiscation. (D.)	
683	No. 575, dated 20th September 1852 From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Duties of the Naval Officers at the Bandar of Multán	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1618, dated 30th August 1852, the Commissioner of the Multán Division states that in regard to defining the duties of the Naval Officer at the Bandar of Multán, it is only necessary to notify to the military authorities that this officer (or whoever may be named) should be applied to when water carriage is required. (O.)	Nos. 126-27.
	No. 1905, dated 1st October 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Multán Division will notify that the Naval Officer is the proper person to be applied to. (D.)	
684	No. 171, dated 11th September 1852 From—The Civil Surgeon of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Medical duties of the Post Office and Dâk Bungalow at Lahore.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1690, dated 6th September 1852, the Civil Surgeon of Lahore states that in accordance with a General Order of the Governor-General dated 1st February 1834, the medical duties of the Post Office and	Nos. 136-38.

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684—*concld.*		Medical duties of the Post Office and Dâk Bungalow at Lahore.	Dâk Bungalow at Lahore have been performed uninterruptedly for the past 6 years by the Staff Surgeon, and hopes the Board will acquit him of any neglect of duty in the instance referred to by the Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1852— Nos. 136-38.
	No. 1909, dated 1st October 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Postmaster-General of North-Western Provinces.		With reference to his letter No. 1012, dated 25th August 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the above letter to the Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, for his information, and states that the Board have directed Dr. Hathaway (now that the staff has been removed to Mián Mír) to attend the Post Office establishments located at Anárkali and also travellers at the Dâk Bungalow. (D.)	
	No. 1910, dated 1st October 1852 ...		A copy of the above letter is forwarded to Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, for information. (D.)	
685	No. 478, dated 18th September 1852 From—The Commissioner of Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Bakhu.	As requested in the Board's letter No. 1708, dated 8th September 1852, the Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards the file of proceedings in the case of Government *versus* Bakhu charged with— (1) wounding attended with theft of corn; (2) highway robbery and plunder of property valued at Rs. 130.	Progs. for the week ending 9th October 1852— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 1940, dated 4th October 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates that the Board still consider the punishment awarded in the case to be too lenient, and they request that as the crime of robbery attended with violence is very common in the Trans-Indus districts he will punish cases which are proved with greater severity. Adds that in the case under notice, the Board think it will be advisable that at the expiration of the 7 years' imprisonment, the prisoner should be required to give security for future good conduct. (D.)	
686	No. 594, dated 30th September 1852 From—The Commissioner of Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Statement of cattle destroyed by tigers in Multán and Jhang.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1068, dated 14th June 1852, the Commissioner of the Multán Division submits a statement of cattle destroyed by tigers within the Districts of Multán and Jhang. (O.)	Nos. 81-2.
	No. 1968, dated 8th October 1852... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that though the number of cattle destroyed is large, no sufficient reason is shown for raising the scale of rewards for killing tigers in his Division. (D.)	

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687	No. 663, dated 2nd August 1852 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Seals of Kazis and Kanungos.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 651, dated 22nd April 1852, the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division sends certain seals of Kazis and Kanungos taken by the Deputy Commissioners agreeably to the Board's orders. No order. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 9th October 1852— Nos. 104-05.
	No. 723, dated 21st August 1852 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In continuation of the above letter the Commissioner and Superintendent of Lahore Division forwards 22 seals of Kazis and Kanungos taken by the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdáspur. (O.) No order.	
688	No. 159, dated 20th September 1852 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Protection of Military camps from depredations.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 1251, dated the 7th July 1852, the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards, for the information of the Board, the copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiána, reporting on the measures adopted by him for the protection of Military camps from depredations. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1852— Nos. 1-3.
	No. 1977, dated 11th October 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Deputy Commissioner's plan, if strictly acted on, will no doubt be successful. Suggests that a somewhat similar plan be followed in the Ambála and Ferozepore Districts. (D.)	
689	No. 197, dated 13th October 1852... From—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Building of a workshed for the prisoners employed in the Lahore Jail at carpet-making.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1952, dated the 7th October 1852, the Civil Surgeon of Lahore requests to be supplied with bricks and tiles for the workshed for the prisoners employed in the Lahore Jail at carpet-making, and solicits an order for the Rs. 600 sanctioned for the woodwork, &c., of the building. (O.)	Nos. 47-9.
	No. 2005, dated 13th October 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and requests that he will allow Dr. Hathaway to take bricks and tiles to the value of Rs. 400, and that he will advance him Rs. 600 from the amount sanctioned for the Jail, in order that he may lose no time in completing the workshed.	
	No. 2006, dated 13th October 1852		Ordered that a copy of the preceding letter be sent to Dr. Hathaway for his information. (D.)	
690	No. 531, dated 2nd October 1852 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Pesháwar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Panic among the townspeople at Pesháwar.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Pesháwar Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Pesháwar reporting a panic which has prevailed among the townspeople at Pesháwar (attended with assault on certain Government servants) in consequence of a report that boys were being seized in the cantonments for the purpose of having an oil extracted from their bodies for medicinal purposes.	Nos. 56-69.

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690—*concld.*	No. 2012, dated 13th October 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Pesháwar Division.	Panic among the townspeople at Pesháwar.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board are inclined to think the rumour was raised by our own people; the same absurd story was prevalent at Siálkot a few months ago and has prevailed at times in our provinces, and has always subsided after a few days. Points out the plan to be adopted for checking it. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1852— Nos. 56-69.
	No. 2013, dated 13th October 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India for the information of Government. (D.)	
691	No. 3495, dated 30th September 1852. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Exemption of Mir of Kotaha from commutation for service in perpetuity.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 900, dated the 6th September 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council to the Mir of Kotaha being exempted from commutation for service in perpetuity. (O.)	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 2015, dated 15th October 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter, together with the Board's letter to which it is a reply, is forwarded to the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States for his information. (D.)	
692	No. 3541, dated 1st October 1852 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Deputation allowance to Mr. Brereton.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 897, dated the 6th September 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council to Mr Brereton's drawing his deputation allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem for a further period of four months from the 15th July 1852 or until relieved by Major Graham. (O.)	Nos. 74-5.
	No. 2017, dated 15th October 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded for the information of the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division. (D.)	
93	No. 189, dated 6th October 1852 ... From—The Civil Surgeon of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Specimens of articles manufactured from the Muddar plant in the Leiah Jail.	The Civil Surgeon of Lahore acknowledges receipt from the Commissioner of the Leiah Division of some specimens of articles manufactured from the fibre of the Muddar plant by the prisoners in the Leiah Jail, and suggests that all officers in charge of jails in the Punjab be directed to send him specimens of all manufactures by prisoners under their charge. (O.)	Nos. 82-4.
	No. 2023, dated 16th October 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Leiah Division will convey the thanks of the Board to Captain Hollings for the articles which he has despatched manufactured from the fibre of the Muddar plant. (D.)	

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693—*concld.*	Circular No. 74—2024, dated 16th October 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Specimens of articles manufactured in jails in the Punjab.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests all Commissioners will instruct officers in charge of jails to forward to Dr. Hathaway specimens of all articles manufactured under their charge, stating particulars, the cost of the raw materials, etc., etc., according to form annexed.	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1852— Nos. 82-4.
694	No. 55', dated 9th October 1852 ... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Pesháwar Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Panic at Pesháwar.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Pesháwar Divison forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a further letter from the Deputy Commissioner explaining a portion of his former letter in regard to the late panic which prevailed at Pesháwar. (D.) No order.	No. 111.
695	No. 1118, dated 5th October 1852 From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed Anárkali dispensary.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 1241, dated the 30th September 1852, the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore enquires if the Secretary to the Board of Administration and the officers connected with him are willing to subscribe to build a suitable house for a dispensary in Anárkali and to aid in its support. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 23rd October 1852— Nos. 39-47
	22nd October 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.		In reply, states that the Board doubt whether a dispensary would be of use in Anárkali, as the residents, Civil and Military, and their servants have already the benefit of medical advice, as also the assistants in the public offices. (D.)	
696	No. 925, dated 30th October 1852... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on Mr. Brereton's operations against Thags.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division submits, with his remarks, a letter from Mr. Brereton, detailing his operations against the Thags in the Punjab. States that a few of Mr. Brereton's subordinates deserve some acknowledgment which he proposes to award and enter in his contingent bill. (O.)	Nos. 68-73.
	23rd October 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that Mr. Brereton is entitled to much credit for his exertions, and the Board regret he cannot continue upon a duty for which he is so well qualified. The proposal to grant rewards is approved. (D.)	
697	No. 3545, dated 1st October 1852.... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Fees for licenses for wearing arms.	In reply to the Board's letter No 912, dated the 8th September 1852, soliciting sanction to licenses for carrying arms in the Punjab being reduced from Rs. 2 to annas 8 each, the Secretary to the Government of India states that His Lordship in Council is unable to assent to the reduction on the renewal of licenses for wearing arms from 2 rupees to 8 annas as suggested by the Commissioner of Multán, but Shikaris may have licenses on plain paper on security for the purposes of destroying wild animals. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1852— Nos. 81 3.
	23rd October 1852 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Multán Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner, Multán Division.	

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697—*concld.*	Circular No. 76, dated 23rd October 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Fees for licenses for wearing arms.	Other Commissioners are informed.	Progs. for the week ending 25th November 1852— Nos 81-3.
698	No. 3757, dated 15th October 1852 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Marriage certificates.	The Secretary to the Government of India forwards, for communication to Marriage Registrars, an extract from the Proceedings of Government explaining the course to be followed in cases where it is deemed expedient that marriage certificates should be forwarded to England. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 30th October 1852— Nos. 67-8.
	Circular No 77, dated 28th October 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.		The orders are circulated to Commissioners, (D.)	
699	Circular No. 80—2123, dated 2nd November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Salaries of Marriage Registrars.	With reference to Section XIX of Act V of 1852 regarding salaries of Marriage Registrars, the Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires from Commissioners in the Punjab whether in their opinion any of the Marriage Registrars of their Division are entitled to a fixed salary, and, if so, to state the grounds on which they consider them so entitled and what salary they would propose. (D.)	Progs for the week ending 6th November 1852— No. 7.
700	No. 1269, dated 1st November 1852 From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Life convicts in Lahore Jail awaiting deportation to Calcutta.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2115, dated the 30th October 1852, the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore reports what number of life convicts are at present in jail, awaiting deportation to Calcutta, and states that as the gang is large, it will be necessary to send an officer of responsibility with a sufficient establishment. (O.)	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 2126, dated 3rd November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore will propose an efficient establishment for the gang of convicts and make the necessary arrangements for their leaving this on the 20th November 1852. The Secretary to the Board directs the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore to apply immediately to Major Chamberlain, Military Secretary, for a guard, informing him of the number of the convicts and how they are to go. (D.)	
701	Circular No. 81—2134, dated 5th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners.	Sickness and mortality amongst the prisoners in jails in the Punjab.	With reference to the great sickness and mortality generally during the last month, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys certain instructions calculated to prevent disease amongst the prisoners in jails for communication to their District Officers. (D.)	No. 23.

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702	No. 790, dated 25th October 1852... From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Cost of emptying a tank in which a corpse was buried.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, requesting sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 169-5-0 expended in emptying a tank in which it was reported that the corpse of a murdered man had been buried. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 6th November 1852—Nos. 27-8.
	No. 2136, dated 5th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the required sanction. (D.)	
703	No. 2152, dated 9th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ambála Jail ...	With reference to letter No. 2049, dated the 22nd October 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board have since had under further consideration the question of the Ambála Jail, and observes that they have determined to dispense with the Central Jail as originally proposed, and to have in place of it a large District Jail on the plan sanctioned by Colonel Napier for District Jails, but double the size, and conveys certain instructions on the subject. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1852—No. 16.
704	No. 443, dated 26th October 1852... From—Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, &c., To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in Punjab.	With reference to prospective operations against the Thags in the Jullundur District, the Manja and in the direction of Multán, Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, &c., suggests the removal of the head-quarters of the Superintending Officer from Siálkot to Lahore as a much better position. (O.)	Nos. 33-4.
	No. 2165, dated 10th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thaggi, &c.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board have no objection to his moving the head-quarters of the Superintending Officer to Lahore as proposed. (D.)	
705	No. 142, dated 4th November 1852 From—H. Brereton, Esquire, Superintendent, Thaggi Investigation, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Counterfeit coinage.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1922, dated the 2nd October 1852, Mr. H. Brereton, Superintendent, Thaggi Investigation, states that the removal of Mutsuddi, the convicted coiner, who has been employed as an approver, would in his opinion be inexpedient. Observes that there is no doubt that coining is at present going on in different directions, and the only means of dealing with the crime is through approvers, and that no individual is better fitted for such work than Mutsuddi. (O.)	Nos. 37-8.

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705—*concld.*	No. 2168, dated 12th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	Counterfeit coinage.	In continuation of the Board's letter No. 1923, dated the 2nd October 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, and under the circumstances set forth therein states that the Board propose to retain the convict for a year with the officer appointed to superintend the Thaggi investigations in the Punjab. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1852—Nos. 37-8.
706	No. 657, dated 12th October 1852 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Shameful abuse of authority on the part of a Thanadar resulting in the loss of a limb by a prisoner.	The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States submits, for the consideration and orders of the Board, a copy of a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore relating to a shameful abuse of authority on the part of a Thanadar by which an unfortunate prisoner, Boora, Machi, has lost a limb; and under certain considerations, combined with the fact that he owes his misfortune to the act of a Government officer, recommends that Government be solicited to grant him a pension of Rs. 2 per mensem. (O.)	Nos. 39-45.
	No. 2169, dated 12th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that under the peculiar circumstances of the case the Board have supported his recommendation for a pension of Rs. 24 per annum to the sufferer, and have addressed the Government of India to this effect. (D.)	
	Circular No. 82—2170, dated 12th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners (except Cis-Sutlej States).		The Secretary to the Board of Administration directs that all Commissioners will strictly prohibit the practice of tying the arms of prisoners behind their backs with a cloth or rope while in transit from the thana to the Sudder Station, and gives instructions as to the measures which should be adopted on such occasions. (D.)	
	No. 2171, dated 12th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India a copy of a letter, with its enclosure, from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, reporting a gross abuse of authority on the part of a Thanadar by whose cruel treatment a prisoner named Boora, Machi, lost his arm. Under the peculiar circumstances of the case recommends that the sufferer receive a pension of Rs 24 per annum. (D.)	
707	No. 97, dated 6th November 1852... From—Major J. Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Increase of guard over the Thags at Siálkot.	Major J. Graham, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, requests that the party of the Sooruj Mukhi Regiment at present over the Thags and dacoits in the fort of Siálkot be increased to a full company, as he does not consider the present party a sufficient safeguard for 350 prisoners. (O.)	Nos. 60-61.

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707—*concld.*	No. 2180, dated 12th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major J. Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation.	Increase of guard over the Thags at Siálkot.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests Major J. Graham will furnish a plan of the place of confinement, and remarks that if the building is within the fort and the men are fettered the present guard ought to suffice. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1852—Nos. 60-61.
708	No. 974, dated 26th October 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Arrangements for the watch and conservancy of Anárkali Bazar.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, reports the arrangements proposed by Mr. Wedderburn, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, for the watch and conservancy of the Anárkali Bazar, and recommends that sanction be obtained to the construction of a suitable building for the police and to the disbursement of Rs. 2,000 for the purpose of building, deserted houses and filling in hollows, etc. in the neighbourhood of the Bazar. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1852—Nos. 21-3.
	No. 2199, dated 16th Novemqer 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the Board's approval of the arrangements proposed by Mr. Wedderburn, and states that if he will submit a plan and estimate of the building required for the police, the sanction of Government will be solicited to the cost. As regards the Rs. 2,000 required for levelling deserted houses, etc., observes that the Board are not satisfied that this outlay is indispensable. (D.)	
	No. 2200, dated 16th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore for information. (D.)	
709	No. 2220-1163, dated 19th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Sickness and mortality amongst the prisoners in the Lahore Jail.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing the Secretary to the Government of India reports that in consequence of the great sickness that has prevailed and mortality that has occurred amongst the prisoners in the Lahore Jail, the Board have taken on themselves to direct the Civil Surgeon to encamp at the new jail and assume entire charge of it in all departments, and they trust that this measure will meet with the approval of the Governor-General in Council. Mentions the circumstances which have induced the Board to adopt it, and adds that should His Lordship appoint a Superintendent of the Jail, they hope that Dr. Hathaway will be the officer selected. (D.)	No. 91.
710	No. 2223-1166, dated 19th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Marriage Registrars.	In continuation of previous correspondence the Secretary to the Board of Administration submits to the Secretary to the Government of India, for the approval of the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council, the names of several officers whom the Board propose for the office of Marriage Registrar, in addition to those already nominated. (D.)	No. 103.

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711	No 2238, dated 23rd November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.	Transfer of the charge of the Lahore Central Jail to Dr. Hathaway.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration, addressing the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, communicates the Board's determination to make over charge of the Lahore Central Jail wholly and entirely to Dr. Hathaway, the Civil Surgeon, and furnishes instructions as to the manner in which they desire the measure to be carried out. Adds that the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore is to retain charge of the old jail only, as the District Jail, which he will carry on quite independently and introduce such manufactures as are usual in all the other jails of the Punjab. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th November 1852—Nos. 13-16,
	No. 2339, dated 23rd November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Lieutenant-Colonel R. Napier, Civil Engineer.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Lieutenant-Colonel R. Napier, Civil Engineer, that the prisoners working under him at Lahore, estimated at 500, have been put under charge of Dr. Hathaway who has been placed in charge of the Lahore Central Jail, and requests that one of the Assistants in his Department may be directed to encamp at the Jail during the cold weather, as the work on which the prisoners are employed will go on much faster if an officer is on the spot. (D.)	
	No. 2240-41, dated 23rd November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore and Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information and guidance of the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore and Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon a copy of the Board's letter No. 2238 of the 23rd November 1852, to the Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division, on the subject of transferring the management of the Central Jail to the Civil Surgeon. (D.)	
	Circular No. 85—2242, dated 23rd November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners in the Punjab and Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs all Commissioners in the Punjab and Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States that Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, has been placed in charge of the Central Jail at Lahore and will conduct all the details of management and establishment. Requests therefore that Deputy Commissioners be informed of this arrangement and instructed to send all prisoners (except life prisoners), intended for the Central Jail, direct to Dr. Hathaway. (D.)	
712	No. 104, dated 18th November 1852 From—Major Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Accommodation for the Thag and dacoit prisoners at Siálkot.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2180, dated the 12th November 1852, Major Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, forwards a rough plan of the place wherein the Thag and dacoit prisoners are confined at Siálkot, and remarks upon the insufficiency of accommodation and security. (O.)	No. 53.
	No. 2264, dated 25th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Brigadier Commanding at Siálkot.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests that the Brigadier Commanding at Siálkot will order a company of Native Infantry to guard the Thags and dacoits who are under the charge of the	

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712—*concld.*		Accommodation for the Thag and dacoit prisoners at Siálkot.	Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi, North-Western Provinces, as the guard from the Police Corps at present employed on that duty is insufficient for the safe custody of the prisoners. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 27th November 1852—No. 53.
	No. 2265, dated 25th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to Major Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, for information. (D.)	
713	No. 103, dated 17th November 1852 From—Major Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Thaggi in Punjab.	Major Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration, requests that orders may be issued to all the District Officers in the Punjab prohibiting the release of any "Mazbi" Sikh now in their jails, until they have been sent to his (Superintendent's) court for recognition, and to report, without delay, every case which may occur in their respective districts, assimilating to Thaggi. (O.)	Nos. 70-72.
	Circular No. 86—2271, dated 26th November 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to all Commissioners under the Board, and requests they will direct their District Officers to comply with the requests therein contained. (D.)	
	No. 2272, dated 26th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major Graham, Superintendent, Thaggi Investigation.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs Major Graham, Superintendent, Thaggi Investigation, that the above circular has been issued, and requests he will keep the District authorities informed of his movements to enable them to regulate the despatch of prisoners accordingly. (D.)	
714	No 100, dated 15th November 1852 From—Major J. Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Transfer of the charge of the Thaggi Department in the Punjab to Major J. Graham.	Major J. Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, addressing the Secretary to the Board of Administration intimates having relieved Mr. Brereton of the duties of the Thaggi Department in the Punjab; forwards a copy of a statement showing the number of prisoners and approvers made over to him, and solicits sanction to his retaining a portion of Mr. Brereton's establishment for the efficient working of his office. (O.)	Nos. 84 6.
	No. 2278, dated 27th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Major J. Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests Major J. Graham, Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, will furnish the Board with a statement of the ordinary establishment attached to his office, and detail the reasons which render any addition necessary, especially as regards another English clerk. (D.)	

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715	No. 181, dated 12th November 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of Mr. Hill at Simla.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2107, dated the 29th October 1852, the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards a copy of a letter from Lord William Hay, Deputy Commissioner of Simla, reporting upon the case therein alluded to, and states that he has ordered the dismissal of the Nazir of the Simla Court on account of his unparallelled effrontery in having committed Mr. Hill to jail on his own authority. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th December 1852—Nos. 1-4.
	No. 2282, dated 29th November 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the Board's remarks upon the proceedings in the case referred to, which they consider most infamous, and directs that the Nazir of the Simla Court be not only dismissed but fined Rs. 50, and the money paid to Mr. Hill if he will accept of it. (D.)	
716	No. 4278, dated 16th November 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Remarks of Court of Directors on Report on Administration of the Punjab.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, extracts from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors containing their remarks on various subjects connected with the administration of the Punjab, and requesting further information thereon. (O.)	Nos. 33-5.
	No. 2291, dated 1st December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, and with reference to the Hon'ble Court's enquiry respecting the Amritsar Dispensary, requests he will state how all expenses of the institution are paid, *i. e.*, what portion by public and what by private subscription. (D.)	
717	No. 4228, dated 12th November 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Inability of Government to supply Native Doctors required for the Punjab.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1047, dated the 22nd October 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India intimates that Government cannot at present supply the number of Native Doctors required for the Punjab, nor can His Lordship accede to the proposal to supply the deficiency by local examinations under committees. (O.)	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 2301, dated 2nd December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		With reference to the inability of Government to supply any more Native Doctors for the Punjab, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Civil Surgeon of Lahore that the Board are thinking of proposing the establishment of a school for Native Doctors at Lahore, and requests that he will draw out a scheme showing the manner in which it would be most desirable to instruct 15 or 20 young men, natives of the country, at a small expense. (D.)	

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718	No. 3490, dated 30th September 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Scheme for the construction of jails in the Punjab, &c.	With reference to the Board's letter, dated the 25th August 1852, No. 839, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India transmits a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, containing their observations in regard to certain objections which in their opinion exist to the Board's scheme for the construction of jails in the Punjab, &c., and requests that the works in the great jail at Lahore be stopped until the Court's questions are answered and their reply thereto received. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 4th December 1852—Nos. 121-23.
	No. 2325—1231, dated 4th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration transmits the Board's replies to the questions submitted by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors. (D.)	
719	No. 2431, dated 23rd November 1852. From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Transfer of 9 prisoners from Agra to Lahore.	The Civil Engineer of the Punjab submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a roll of 9 prisoners who were transferred from Agra to Lahore, and have been employed in making tiles for the new jail; states that these men have worked and behaved so well since their transfer that he would recommend the removal of their irons, and, should the Superintendent of Civil Buildings continue to report favourably of them, a remission of their term of imprisonment also, to the extent of two years. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1852—Nos. 1-3.
	No. 2328, dated 6th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Civil Engineer of the Punjab will submit the application to Dr. Hathaway, who is in charge of the Lahore Central Jail, and will forward it through the Commissioner to the Board with his opinion. Observes that the crimes of the prisoners should be shown in the roll, and states that as they were sentenced by the Agra Court, the Board would not feel themselves at liberty to make any remission without consulting the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces. (O.)	
720	No. 2337, dated 7th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi.	Indiscriminate arrest of parties suspected of Thaggi.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration addressing Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent for Suppression of Thaggi, communicates the Board's remarks upon the evils that are likely to result from the indiscriminate arrest of parties suspected of Thaggi, under general warrants issued from the Superintendent's office, as was recently the case in the Jullundur District. States that the Board have always understood it to be a fundamental rule in the Thaggi Department to allow no party to be	Nos. 15-16.

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720—*concld.*		Indiscriminate arrest of parties suspected of Thaggi.	sent out without distinct warrants in the names of individuals, and requests that he will submit for their information copies of any instructions that may have been issued by him on the subject of arrests, and also of any that may be issued hereafter. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1852— Nos. 15-16.
	Circular No. 88—2388, dated 7th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of preceding letter for the information of all Commissioners under the Board, with the Board's request that they will instruct their officers that while zealously aiding the Thaggi Department in all legal and just ways, they are to be careful in protecting the people from any abuse of authority, and are to report for the Board's information any breach of these instructions. (D.)	
721	No. 588, dated 26th November 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of river dacoity perpetrated by armed men from Dera Gházi Khan.	As requested in the Board's letter of the 18th November 1852, No. 2209, the Commissioner of the Leiah Division submits a report by the Assistant Commissioner of Khángarh respecting a case of river dacoity perpetrated by armed men from Dera Gházi Khan, and states that one of the offenders has been apprehended. (O.)	Nos. 71-3.
	No. 2367, dated 10th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration observes that the Board consider this a very bad case, and they trust that as one man has been apprehended, the names of the rest will be discovered, and that they will be hunted down, and adds that rewards should be offered, and if the captured man can give information which will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the others, pardon might be held out to him. (D.)	
722	No. 1048, dated 6th December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Remission of fine imposed on Mr. O'Brien.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, and, as therein requested, solicits the Board's sanction to the disbursement by him of Rs. 250, part of a fine imposed on Mr. O'Brien of the Board's office in a case of assault and remitted on appeal. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1852— Nos. 6-8.
	No. 2389, dated 13th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner, Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the Board's authority would not be sufficient for the Civil Auditor to pass the charge, and suggests that the Deputy Commissioner should send a copy of the order rescinding his to the clerk of the Crown, with a request that he will return Rs. 250 of the Rs. 300 remitted to him. (D.)	

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723	No. 770, dated 14th December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Marriage certificates.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration, for submission to Government, a "Certificate of no marriage" furnished by the Registrar of the Simla District for the month of November 1852, and enquires whether in future these certificates shall be submitted direct to Government or through him. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1852—Nos. 45-7.
	No. 2403, dated 14th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, and enquires to what officer the Marriage Registrars in the Punjab are in the first instance to send marriage certificates intended for submission to Government, or to the Secretary to the East India Company. (D.)	
724	No. 1053, dated 7th December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of one Thomas Erskine Goldrich in confinement on a charge of rape.	At the request of Mr. Saunders, Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration the proceedings, English and Vernacular, in the case of one Thomas Erskine Goldrich, at present in confinement, on a charge of rape. States that he considers the prospect of conviction before the Supreme Court, on the evidence which has been adduced, very remote, and would therefore only punish the prisoner by a fine of Rs. 100, in addition to the imprisonment which he has already undergone, but as Mr. Saunders is of a different opinion, requests the Board's orders in the case. (O.)	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 2410, dated 15th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Lahore Division that the majority of the Board concur in his view of the case. They are of opinion that there is evidence to establish that the prisoner was guilty of an aggravated indecent assault, and that Mr. Saunders, in his capacity of Justice of the Peace, is competent to punish him for such assault. They therefore request that this course be again suggested to Mr. Saunders. (D.)	
725	No. 156, dated 25th November 1852 From—H. Brereton, Esquire, Superintendent, Thaggi Investigation, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the crime of Thaggi in the Punjab.	Mr. H. Brereton, Superintendent, Thaggi Investigation, submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a report on the crime of Thaggi in the Punjab and the operations for its suppression from the date of his appointment to the date of his being relieved by Major Graham. (O.)	Nos. 97-112.
	Circular Nos. 89—2431, dated 18th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests all Commissioners under the Board will instruct their District Officers to prepare a careful census of all Mazbhi Sikhs, and to scrutinize the mode of livelihood of this class. Adds that the Board would also wish Commissioners from time to time to make	

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725—*concld.*		Report on the crime of Thaggi in the Punjab.	enquiries regarding them, and when the census has been completed, to send an abstract return to the Board and to the Superintendent of Thaggi.	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1852—Nos. 97-112.
	No. 2432, dated 18th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the 4th section of the preceding report to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, and states that the Board will be glad if he can give employment to as many of the Mazbhi Sikhs as possible. (D.)	
	No. 2433, dated 18th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards to the Secretary to the Government of India, for submission to the Governor-General in Council, a copy of a letter, with enclosures, from Mr. Brereton, late Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation, containing a report on the rise and progress of Thaggi in the Punjab, and the operations that have lately been carried on for its suppression. States that the Board consider the report a highly interesting one, full of information and clear in statement, and they propose publishing it in the "Selections from correspondence." (D.)	
	No. 2434, dated 18th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations.		With reference to Mr. Brereton's report (which the Board presume Captain Sleeman has seen), the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the attention of Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations, to paragraphs 60 and 61, regarding the "Sansees." States that they would be glad hereafter to have a report regarding the habits of this class, and if they commit Thaggi. Thanks him also for the aid afforded by him to Mr. Brereton. (D.)	
	No. 2435, dated 18th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—H. Brereton, Esquire, late Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration acknowledges the receipt of Mr. Brereton's (late Superintendent of Thaggi Investigation) report upon Thaggi in the Punjab and the operations for its suppression, and in communicating the Board's thanks for the same informs him that a copy of the document has been transmitted to Government with an expression of the Board's sense of his services. (D.)	
726	11th December 1852 ... From—Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Plan for the establishment of a school at Lahore for Native Doctors.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2301, dated the 2nd December 1852, Dr. Hathaway, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, submits a plan for the establishment of a school at Lahore for the training of Native Doctors. (O.)	Nos. 120-21.
	No. 2439—41, dated 18th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Superintending Surgeons, Cis- and Trans-Ravi and Peshâwar Circles.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Superintending Surgeons Cis- and Trans-Ravi and Peshâwar Circle, and requests that they will favour the Board with their opinions as to whether a plan, such as that proposed by Dr.	

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726—*concld.*		Plan for the establish ment of a school at Lahore for Native Doctors.	Hathaway, would be sufficient for the education of Native Doctors, so as to ensure the qualifications considered necessary in this class. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1852— Nos. 120-21.
727	No. 4233, dated 12th November 1852. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Marriage Registrars.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1060, dated the 25th October 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the appointment of Messrs. Forman and Singer as Marriage Registrars of Lahore and Siálkot, respectively, and states that His Lordship cannot adopt the Board's recommendation in regard to Amritsar, as there is an objection to any one being appointed *ex-officio*. (O.)	Nos. 128-32.
	No. 2443, dated 18th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for his information and for communication to the parties concerned, with reference to his letter No. 686, dated the 10th August 1852. (D.)	
	No. 4617, dated 7th December 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In reply to the Board's letter No. 1166, dated the 19th November 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India intimates that the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to approve of the nominations made by the Board of officers to be appointed Marriage Registrars in the Punjab, and states that 18 complete sets of books and forms will be forwarded by dâk banghi. (D)	
728	No. 4605, dated 7th December 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Appointment of Dr. Hathaway to the charge of new jail at Lahore.	In reply to the Board's letter No 1163, dated the 19th November 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the approval of the Governor-General in Council of the Board's order directing the Civil Surgeon to encamp at the new jail, and assume entire charge of it in all Departments. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 25th December 1852—
	No. 2446—47, dated 20th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Dr. Hathaway and the Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		Copies of the above letter are forwarded to Dr Hathaway and the Commissioner of the Lahore Division for their information. (D.)	
729	No. 4615, dated 7th December 1852 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—*The Secretary to* the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Pension for one Boora, Machi.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 1125, dated the 12th November 1852, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the pension of Rs. 24 per annum proposed for Boora, Machi, so long as he behaves honestly and peaceably. (O.)	Nos. 6-7.
	No. 2449, dated 20th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded for the information of the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, in continuation of letter No. 2169, dated the 12th November 1852. (D.)	

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730	No. 530, dated 17th December 1852 From—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Irregularities attending the arrest in the Jullundur District of suspected Thags.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2357, dated the 7th December 1852, Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations, forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. Brereton explanatory of certain irregularities attending the arrest in the Jullundur District of parties charged with the crime of Thaggi, and furnishes a copy of the rules which were furnished to Mr. Brereton for his guidance, together with an Assamiwar Misl showing the manner in which evidence is recorded against a denounced Thag prior to arrest. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 1st January 1853— Nos. 43-6.
	No. 2506, dated 29th December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration communicates the Board's approval of the plan of procedure laid down by him in regard to the arrest of suspected Thags, and states that the Board will send instructions to District Officers in order that they may know the plan which is to be adopted. (D.)	
	Circular No. 91—2507, dated 29th December 1852. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.		In continuation of Circular No. 88, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for information and communication to District Officers, a copy of the preceding letter and the rules therein alluded to. (D.)	
731	No. 1102, dated 23rd December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of prisoners by Dr. Hathaway.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division submits for the Board's information a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, together with a sketch, showing that the distance from the District Jail to the Sadr Bazar road, where convicts are employed, is just within one mile, and with reference to Mr. Wedderburne's remarks regarding the employment of prisoners by Dr Hathaway at distances exceeding a mile from the Central Jail, states that if the Board approve of his making enquiry about the matter he will do so. (O.)	Nos. 140-43.
	No. 2554, dated 31st December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration conveys the Board's sanction to the road on which the prisoners are employed being proceeded with, and remarks that as the Central Jail is under him, the Board expect he will see that their orders are carried out. (D.)	
	No. 2555, dated 31st December 1852 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Surgeon of Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Civil Surgeon of Lahore that the senior member saw 10 or 12 prisoners crossing the Anarkali road to his house for certain rough material, and observes that the distance they were from the jail much exceeds a mile. (D.)	

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732	No. 605, dated 29th December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Complaint made by Lieutenant Parish of the Artillery against the Jamadar of Police at Jund.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 1542, dated the 20th August 1852, regarding a complaint made by Lieutenant Parish of the Artillery against the Jamadar of Police at Jund in the Ráwalpindi District, for raising the price of certain supplies, the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ráwalpindi on the subject. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th January 1853— No. 11.
	No. 6, dated 6th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.		With reference to his letter No. 454, dated the 10th July 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Quartermaster-General of the Army for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and states that the Board do not think that Lieutenant Parish had sufficient grounds for his allegations. (D.)	
733	No. 1924—2, dated 30th December 1852 From—The Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disappearance of a man of Her Majesty's 22nd Foot supposed to have been drowned.	The Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration an extract of a letter from Captain Ring, 87th Fusiliers, Commanding a detachment of invalids proceeding *viâ* the Indus to Bombay, relative to the disappearance of a man of Her Majesty's 22nd Foot, who is supposed to have been drowned at a place called Bella, but, as there is possibility of his being alive, requests that enquiry be ordered at the villages adjoining. (O.)	No. 14.
	No. 7, dated 6th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board will direct the necessary enquiries to be made, but as it is not mentioned where the man was missed, information on this point, if it can be supplied, would seem to be material. (D.)	
	No. 8, dated 6th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Gugera.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Gugera, and requests that enquiry may be made in all the villages roundabout Bella to ascertain the fate of the European soldier who is supposed to have been drowned there on the night of the 11th December 1852. (D.)	
734	No. 23, dated 1st January 1853 ... From—Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the habits of the Sansi tribe.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2434, dated the 18th December 1852, Captain J Sleeman states that he has called for some information from Major Graham to enable him to report on the habits of the Sansi tribe, and suggests that as they are not very numerous in the Punjab, a general registry of them by District Officers would not be very difficult, and might have the effect of restraining to a considerable extent their predatory habits. (O)	Nos. 33-4.

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734—*concld.*	No. 18, dated 7th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—Captain J. Sleeman, General Superintendent of Thaggi Operations.	Report on the habits of the Sansi tribe.	In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board await the report promised by Captain J. Sleeman, and on its receipt will take into consideration the propriety of registering the Sansis. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 8th January 1853— Nos. 33-4.
735	No. 211, dated 27th December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Dissection of the bodies of prisoners dying in the Jail Hospital.	The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States requests the Board's orders on an application from the Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division, for the bodies of prisoners dying in the Jail Hospital for anatomical purposes. (O.)	No. 35.
	No. 19, dated 7th January 1853 . From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States that the Board think it objectionable to make over the bodies of prisoners dying in the Jail Hospital, but they sanction the bodies of criminals who are executed being made over, when the friends do not claim them. (D.)	
736	No. 4, dated 3rd January 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed release of Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 320, dated the 27th March 1852, the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur renewing the proposition formerly made by him for the release of Ichhar Singh (late Wazir of Jaswan) on security, and adds his own earnest solicitation to that of Major Edwardes that the measure may now be sanctioned, the prisoner having rendered important services since his recapture. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 15th January 1853.— No. 15.
	Nos. 33—35, dated 12th January 1853. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		With reference to previous correspondence, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, and recommends that the release of Ichhar Singh be sanctioned on the conditions proposed by Major Edwardes. (D.)	
737	No. 12, dated 4th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Steps taken to counteract the unhealthiness of certain marshy lands.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2343, dated the 7th December 1852, the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, forwards a copy of a note on the steps taken to counteract the unhealthiness of certain marshy lands at Fattehpur near Allahabad (This information was asked for with reference to the projected draining of the Jhil near the site of the Peshâwar Jail).	Nos. 41-3.
	Nos. 49-50, dated 13th January 1853 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab and Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division.		Copies of the preceding letter are forwarded to the Civil Engineer of the Punjab and the Commissioner of the Peshâwar Division for their information, with reference to previous correspondence relative to the Jhil near the site fixed for the Peshâwar Jail. (D.)	

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738	No. 7, dated 5th January 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Case of one Thomas Goldrich charged with rape.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 2410, dated the 15th December 1852, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. Saunders, Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, stating that he has acted on the Board's suggestion in the case of Thomas Goldrich and sentenced him for an aggravated and indecent assault to imprisonment for a period of six months from 24th December 1852 without irons, but with labour, commutable to a fine of Rs. 100. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 15th January 1853— No. 84.
739	No. 265, dated 10th January 1853... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Gugera, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Disappearance of Private Wittchey of Her Majesty's 32nd Foot.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 8, dated the 6th January 1853, the Deputy Commissioner of Gugera states that on receipt of Captain Ring's letter he directed careful search to be made for the missing soldier (Private Wittchey of Her Majesty's 32nd Foot, but as yet has received no intelligence respecting him. (O)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd January 1853— Nos. 24-6.
	No. 39—2, dated 10th January 1853 From—The Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.		In reply to the Board's letter No. 7, dated the 6th January 1853, the Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India, states that Private Wittchey is supposed to have been drowned at a place called "Bella," the nearest station to which is that of Pákpattan. (D.)	
	No. 73, dated 18th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, a copy of the foregoing letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gugera. (D.)	
740	No. 750, dated 22nd December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Proposed restoration of a mosque at Shujabad to the Muhammadans.	With reference to his letter No. 199, dated the 1st July 1850, the Commissioner of the Multán Division forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Multán respecting a mosque at Shujabad which has been under attachment for three years, and which has been claimed by a Hindu called Jhao and by Kazi Hafizullah of Shujabad; recommends that it may now be restored to the Muhammadans. (O.)	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 86, dated 20th January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board concur with the Commissioner of the Multán Division and the Deputy Commissioner, and sanction the restoration of the mosque to the Muhammadans. They, however, desire that the Muhammadans be warned that if in taking possession of the mosque there is anything like party feeling displayed, or a triumphing over the Hindus, the Government will resume the building again. (D.)	

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741	No. 16, dated 10th January 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Malpractices of a Jamadar Chaprassi belonging to Major Taylor.	The Commissioner of the Leiah Division forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan regarding Basti Ram, late a Jamadar Chaprassi under Major Taylor, who has accumulated Rs. 750 by bribery, and requests the Board's sanction to the money being confiscated. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 22nd January 1853—No. 77.
	No. 96, dated 22nd January 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Leiah Division will ascertain and report whether the Tahsildar of Bannu who was cognizant of the malpractices of the chaprassis is fit to remain in his appointment, and directs Major Nicholson to get rid at once of all parties against whom he has suspicion that they were mixed up in the bribery business. Sanctions confiscation of the Rs. 750 accumulated by Basti Ram. (D.)	
742	No. 23, dated 14th January 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Scale of rewards fixed for the destruction of hyænas.	The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiárpur respecting a scale of rewards being fixed for the destruction of hyænas, and requests the Board's orders thereon. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th January 1853—Nos. 14-15.
	No 110, dated 25th January 1853 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration informs the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States that if the Civil Auditor agrees to pass Major Abbott's Bill, the Board do not think that any further reference will be necessary, but if he objects, they will take into consideration the propriety of increasing the rewards sanctioned for the destruction of hyænas in the Benáres Division. (D.)	
743	No. 297, dated 14th January 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Report on the rise, progress and present state of Thags and Thaggi in the Punjab.	The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India acknowledges receipt of the Board's letter No. 1277, dated the 18th December 1852, submitting a report by Mr. Brereton on the rise, progress and present state of Thags and thaggi in the Punjab. In reply states that the Governor-General in Council approves of its being published, and requests that the praise and thanks of the Government may be conveyed to Mr. Brereton for the energy, tact and success with which he has discharged the duties of the Thaggi Department. Calls for a further exposition of the Board's views and intentions in regard to the employment of Mazhbis. (O.)	No. 69.

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743—*concld.*	No. 137, dated 28th January 1853... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Report on the rise, progress and present state of Thags and Thaggi in the Punjab.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 2432, dated the 18th December 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration enquires whether the Civil Engineer of the Punjab has done anything yet in regard to giving employment to Mazhbis, and, if not, whether he thinks he can and in what mode. (D.)	Progs. for the week ending 29th January 1853— No. 69.
	No. 138, dated 28th January 1853... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—H. Brereton, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner (on leave).		In continuation of letter No. 2435, dated the 18th December 1852, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Government and the Board's letter, to which it is a reply, to Mr Brereton, Assistant Commissioner (on leave), and states that they have much pleasure in communicating to him the praise and thanks of Government as requested in Mr. Secretary Allen's communication. (D.)	
744	No. 76, dated 24th January 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Returns of the Government charitable dispensary at Amritsar.	The Commissioner of the Lahore Division submits to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a report from Mr. Sub-Assistant Surgeon Hinder, with returns of the Government Charitable Dispensary at Amritsar, which sufficiently attest the utility of the institution. (O.)	Progs. for the week ending 5th February 1853— No. 19.
	No. 162, dated 1st February 1853... From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration states that the Board consider the report an interesting one, and requests that he will tender their thanks to Mr. Hinder for the same. They further request that the Deputy Commissioner may be desired to turn his attention to the improvement of the drainage of the city. (D.)	
	No. 163, dated 1st February 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore.		The Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards for perusal of the Civil Surgeon, Lahore, the report referred to in the preceding letter, together with the returns received therewith. (D.	
745	No. 99, dated 31st January 1853 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Employment of Mazhbis on the Multán Canal.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 2432, dated the 18th December 1852, the Civil Engineer of the Punjab furnishes his opinion in regard to giving employment to Mazhbis on the Multán Canal works.	Progs. for the period from 7th to 10th February 1853— No. 9.
	No. 216—131, dated 7th February 1853. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.		With reference to his letter No. 297, dated the 14th January 1853, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards a copy of the preceding letter to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India for the information of the Governor-General in Council, and with reference to Colonel Napier's proposition states that in writing to him it was not the Board's intention that he should incur any expense for organizing the Mazhbis into a corps, but simply that he should afford them employment as far as possible. Adds that it will be the aim of the Board to do everything to effect this object, and at the same time to keep a strict watch over the mode of life of this class. (O.)	

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746	No. 50, dated 24th January 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multán Division, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Validity of a marriage solemnized by Captain Loveday, Assistant Commissioner at Multán.	The Commissioner of the Multán Division refers for the Board's opinion a question as to the validity of a mariage solemnized by Captain Loveday, Assistant Commissioner at Multán, and enquires whether under section XX of Act V of 1852, where no special Marriage Registrar has been appointed and the Deputy Commissioner acts as such, the Senior Assistant (exercising magisterial powers and being a Justice of the Peace) may during his absence officiate in solemnizing marriages. (O.)	Progs. for the period from 7th to 10th February 1853— Nos. 73-4.
	No 245, dated 10th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Multán Division.		In reply, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requests the Commissioner of the Multán Division will supply further information regarding the date on which the marriage was solemnized, &c., when a reference will be made to Government on the subject. (D.)	
747	No. 556, dated 28th January 1853 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Release of the State prisoner Ichhar Singh, late Wazir of Jaswan.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 35, dated 12th January 1853, the Secretary to the Government of India conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the release of the State prisoner Ichhar Singh on the conditions proposed by Major Edwardes. (O)	No. 75.
	No. 246, dated 10th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.		A copy of the preceding letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for his information and guidance, with reference to his letter No. 4, dated the 3rd January 1853. (D.)	
748	No. 197—2, dated 7th February 1853 From—The Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India, To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Private Wittchey of Her Majesty's 32nd Foot, supposed to have been drowned in the Sutlej.	In continuation of letter No. 39—2, dated the 10th January 1853, the Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces in India, forwards to the Secretary to the Board of Administration a descriptive-roll of Private Wittchey of Her Majesty's 32nd Foot who is supposed to have been drowned in the Sutlej. (O.)	Nos. 93-4.
	No. 254, dated 10th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—The Deputy Commissioner of Gurgaon.		In continuation of letter No. 8, dated the 6th January 1853, the Secretary to the Board of Administration forwards the descriptive-roll received with the preceding letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Gugera. (D.)	
749	Circular No. 1—267, dated 10th February 1853. From—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab, To—All Commissioners under the Board.	Confessions of prisoners.	The Secretary to the Board of Administration requests all Commissioners under the board will instruct the District Officers of their Division to prohibit their police from extorting confessions from prisoners, and points out that although a party in a case may have made a confession before a Tahsildar acting in a judicial capacity, still in a case which is beyond the Tahsildar's competency to decide, on the party arriving at the station, his confession if he be still willing to make it, should be again taken down and attested (O.)	No. 138.

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